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Grand Jury returns 15 indictments

The Morgan County Grand Jury met last week and returned 15 indictments.

Felony indictments returned include:

- Bradley Scott Manning, 28, of Ezel — burglary (second degree) of the home of April Bowman on Aug. 27, 2008.

- Asa Wade Campbell, 24, of Ezel — burglary (second degree) of the home of April Bowman on Aug. 27, 2008.

- Kelly Barton-Jobe, 30, of Louisville — promoting contraband (first degree) by introducing marijuana and hydrocodone into Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex on Feb. 22, 2009; operating a motor vehicle with the influence of alcohol/drugs on the grounds of Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex on Feb. 22, 2009; prescription not in the proper container (hydrocodone) on Feb. 22, 2009.

- Chantillae Sullivan, 19, of Louisville — promoting contraband (first degree) by introducing marijuana into Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex on Feb. 22, 2009.

- Justin Ross, 18, of Ezel — criminal attempt of rape (first degree) by attempting to engage in sexual intercourse with the use of forcible compulsion with a deadly weapon on March 29, 2009.

- Shane Murray, 40, of West Liberty — possession of a firearm by a convicted felon on Sept. 27, 2008; receiving stolen property when he received a hand gun worth more than \$300 knowing it to have been stolen on Sept. 27, 2008; being a persistent felony offender on Sept. 27, 2008.

- Aaron Lewis, 36, of West Liberty — trafficking in a controlled substance (second degree, first offense) by knowingly and unlawfully selling a Scheduled III the controlled substance hydrocodone on March 18, 2008; prescription substance not in proper container (hydrocodone)

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Delinquent tax corrections

The following property owners were mistakenly listed in the recently-published list of delinquent taxpayers:

Ronald McGuire has no delinquent tax due.

Linda Finch who was included in the delinquent list is not Linda Finch of Stacy Fork.

Virginia Lawrence, whose address was listed c/o Zelda Richter, owes no delinquent taxes.

Sugar & Slice LLC, also included in the list, is not Sugar and Slice.

Also, Ethel Bolin, who was included in the list, is not Ethel Bolin of Coffee Creek Road.

Mickey Whitt, Sheriff

Attention all cancer survivors

Attention! Once again it's time for Relay For Life and if you're a cancer survivor please contact Rhonda at (606) 743-9003 and leave your name, address, phone number, if no answer. Join the walk for cancer for a cure.



Quilt to be raffled at String Along Quilt Show

The above sampler quilt will be raffled by String Along Quilt Guild during the fourth annual quilt show slated for Saturday, May 9, in West Liberty's Community Center Gymnasium. The quilt display will be open to the public from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. In addition to the display of quilts, there will be various demonstrations and mini classes, as well as door prizes. Drawing for the quilt will take place in the afternoon. If you haven't purchased tickets and would like to, contact any String Along member. Proceeds will be used to help fund String Along projects.

Fourth annual String Along Quilt Show slated here this Saturday

String Along Quilt Guild will host its fourth annual Quilt Show on Saturday, May 9, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. in the Community Center gymnasium, Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty.

First, second, and third place prizes will be awarded. Judging

will be by visitors to the show.

A sampler quilt has been made by String Along members and will be raffled on the day of the show. Tickets for this quilt (shown above) may be purchased by contacting any String Along member. Proceeds are used to

help fund String Along activities throughout the year.

Several activities and demonstrations are planned for the day of the show, and door prizes will be given throughout the day.

Make plans to come and enjoy the fine display of quilts.

No motions filed in murder case; hearing continued

No motions were filed at a pretrial conference held last week in Morgan Circuit Court for Robin Mapel—the alleged killer of his ex-girlfriend, Melissa Patrick, of Malone. The hearing was continued until June 20 by Judge Rebecca Phillips.

Phillips ordered that any motions related to aggravating circumstances involved in pursuit of the death penalty be heard at that time.

Mapel, 44, of Mt. Sterling is scheduled for trial in Morgan Circuit court on Oct. 20 for killing Patrick after allegedly kidnapping her from her home on Nov. 10, 2008.

According to authorities, Mapel abducted Patrick from her home at gunpoint and fled with her in Patrick's car. Records show that in an attempt to halt

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Father-daughter blood donors

Greg Motley and daughter, Kaytie, were donors at the February 12 blood drawing in West Liberty. Greg has been a regular donor for a long period of time, and Kaytie is now following "Pop"! You, too, can give a "gift of life" by donating at the Morgan County Blood Drive on Thursday, May 7. That's today in the basement of the Community Center on Prestonsburg Street. Hours are from noon until 7:30 p.m.

Probable swine flu case is reported in the Gateway area

Two confirmed, four probable in state; none locally

Kentucky health officials said Wednesday two swine flu cases have been confirmed in Kentucky and four more probable cases have been reported, including in infant in the Gateway Area.

The infant, from Montgomery County, did not require hospitalization, nor have any of the patients listed as probable cases.

Health officials are awaiting confirmation of the cases from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDCP).

Confirmed cases include a Bowling Green woman, who reportedly is recovering in a Georgia hospital, and a Daviess County man, who is receiving anti-viral drugs and doing well.

According to health officials, no probable cases of swine flu have been reported in Morgan County. However, cultures from four local patients who have tested positive for the common seasonal flu in the days since the onset of swine flu was announced have been sent to the CDCP, according to Pat Lewis, Infection Control Nurse at Morgan County ARH. Lewis said no one locally has been hospitalized because of the flu.

Lewis said patients are routinely given rapid test screenings for the common flu, which are analyzed in Frankfort. Since January, some 250 local patients have received these screenings, she said, of which only 35 percent tested positive for the common flu. Lewis said that with the onset of the new swine flu—to which people have built up no resistance—U.S. health officials have requested that all positive flu tests be forwarded for analysis to the CDCP, which is tracking the virus' spread.

U.S health officials said that as of Tuesday there are were more than 400 confirmed cases of swine flu in the United States. The tally shows 38 states now have cases of swine flu. That's up from the CDC's count on Sunday of 160 confirmed cases in 21 states.

CDC officials say the increase in part reflects catching up on a backlog of tests. But it also shows that swine flu is fairly widespread in the U.S. They say the 30 people hospitalized so far have been mostly older children and young adults.

The health officials were cautiously optimistic that the new swine flu isn't as dangerous as first feared. But they urged people to keep taking precautions.

Kentucky's first case of swine flu was confirmed last Thursday in a Warren County woman who is hospitalized in Georgia.

The other probable cases involve an infant in the Barren River Health District and a Fayette County man.

The Gateway District Health Department recommends that citizens exercise common precautions to reduce the spread of flu.

- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in the trash.

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Don't forget today's blood drive at center

The Kentucky Blood Center is conducting a blood drive in today (Thursday, May 7) in the basement of the Morgan County Community Center on Prestonsburg Street in West Liberty.

The event is sponsored by the Morgan County Lions Club and refreshments will be provided by the West Liberty Homemakers.

Blood donors must be 17 years old (16 with parental consent), weigh at least 110 pounds, be in general good health and meet additional requirements.

The Kentucky Blood Center, a non-profit organization, is dedicated to ensuring a safe, adequate blood supply for 67 Kentucky hospitals and clinics.

W.L. Police Dept. reminds motorists of muffler ordinance

The West Liberty Police Department has issued reminder to the public of the city's Noise Control Ordinance and KRS 189.140 Vehicle Muffler-Noise Regulation. These laws prohibit unlawful/unreasonable loud noises and modifications to vehicle exhaust systems which amplify or increase noise emitted from motor vehicles. The department asks citizens to be mindful of these laws, particularly near churches during Sunday morning services.

Strategic plan for community aired at meet; includes nursing pgm. at local MSU campus

By **Miranda Cantrell James**

Approximately 40 people attended the last of five community building forums hosted by the Morgan County Chamber of Commerce and the Lexington-based New Cities Institute on April 23, at the Morehead State University at West Liberty campus.

The event — a two-hour work session designed to develop a visionary plan for the community's future — served as an opportunity for participants to establish a values-based strategic plan to enhance the county's quality of life.

This economic development

effort is funded with a \$10,000 grant from Berea's Brushy Fork Institute through the Appalachian Regional Commission, which provides training for community leaders and administrators \$280,000 in Flex-E grants to Kentucky's distressed Appalachian counties.

New Cities Institute Business

Director Tad Long, who facilitated the meeting, heard updates from the community project teams that were established at the March 31 meeting:

- Agritourism — The agritourism team members announced that they are planning a conference regarding the expansion

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Morgan County awarded federal funds for emergency food, shelter

Morgan County has been chosen to receive \$5,202 to supplement Emergency Food and Shelter programs in the county. These funds have been made available through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA).

The selection was made by a national board that is chaired by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency and consists of representatives from the American Red Cross, Catholic Charities USA, Salvation Army, United Jewish Communities and United Way of America. The local board was charged to distribute funds appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs in high-need areas around the county.

A local board made up of Gateway Community Action, GatewayADD, Gateway Homeless Coalition, ARH Home Health, Morgan County DCBS, Morgan County Ministerial Association, Morgan County Salvation Army, Morgan County Judge Executive's Office, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, Pathways, Morgan County American Red Cross and Morgan County Christian Social Services will determine how funds awarded to Morgan County are to be distributed among the emergency food and shelter programs run by local service agencies in the area.

The local board is responsible for recommending agencies to receive these funds made available through the ARRA.

Under the terms of the grant from the national board, local agencies chosen to receive funds must:

- Be private voluntary non-profits or unites of government.
- Be eligible to receive federal funds.
- Have an accounting system.
- Practice nondiscrimination.
- Have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs.
- If they are a private organization, they must have a voluntary board.

Qualifying agencies are encouraged to apply.

Morgan County has distributed Emergency Food and Shelter funds previously with Gateway Community Action, Morgan County Christian Social Services, Morgan County Ministerial Association, Morgan County American Red Cross and Gateway Homeless Coalition participating. These agencies were responsible for providing 1,000 meals, 89 nights of lodging, assistance to 40 households and assistance to three households last year.

Public or private voluntary agencies interested in applying for ARRA Emergency Food and Shelter program funds must contact Sandra Stevens at Gateway Community Action, 124 College St., P.O. Box 367, West Liberty, KY 41472, 606-743-3133, sandra.stevens@gcscap.org for an application. The deadline for applications to be received is Thursday, May 14, 2009.

Elkfork Lodge Horse Show a success; thanks issued

Although the weather tried not to cooperate on Saturday, May 2, there was a good turnout at the the second annual Elkfork Lodge Horse Show held at the Morgan County Equestrian Park. The K.M.S.H.A. AA Rated National Show drew a total of 117 entries in 36 classes. The classes were open to horses registered with the Kentucky Mountain Saddle Horse Association and Spotted Mountain Horse Association.

Elkfork Lodge wishes to express its appreciation to all who worked so hard to make this show a success from the planning stages, through the cleanup, we thank you. To the Lodge members and their wives who prepared food to sell in the concession stand and helped in any way, we thank you.

A special thanks to Langley Franklin, Announcer; Delbert Coffee, Ring Master; Jonathan Foke, Judge; John David Klein, DQP; Coach Tammy Hensley and the High School Softball Girls for presenting the prize ribbons, and championship prizes, and the following sponsors:

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Corn planting demonstration slated May 12

With rising input costs, there is greater interest in growing corn, especially for silage purposes to feed cattle. The purpose of this meeting will be cover management practices needed for a successful crop including hybrid selection, seeding rates, weed control, costs and harvesting methods.

Also to be demonstrated is the two-row no-til corn planter that is available to Morgan County farmers free of charge from the extension service. Dr. Chad Lee, UK grain specialist, will be the featured speaker.

Weather permitting, the meeting will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 12, at the Henry and Jennifer Adkins farm located at Gordon Ford off Steele Branch Road. A free cookout meal will be served.

To reserve the planter or for more information or directions, contact Sarah Fannin, county extension agent for agriculture and natural resources at 743-3292.

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To figure out whether your mother is eligible, Social Security needs to know her income and the value of her savings, investments and real estate (other than the home she lives in). To qualify for the extra help, she must be receiving Medicare and also have:

- Income limited to \$16,245 for an individual or \$21,855 for a married couple living together. Even if her annual income is higher, she may still be able to get some help with monthly premiums, annual deductibles and prescription co-payments. Some examples where income may be higher include if she or her husband support other family members who live with them, have earnings from work, live in Alaska or Hawaii, and
- Resources limited to \$12,510 for an individual or \$25,010 for a married couple living together. Resources include such things as bank accounts, stocks and bonds. We do not count her house or car as resources.

Social Security has an easy-to-use online application that you can help complete for your mom. You can find it at www.socialsecurity.gov/prescriptionhelp. To apply by phone or have an application mailed to you, call Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778) and ask for the *Application for Help with Medicare Prescription Drug Plan Costs* (SSA-1020). Or go to the nearest Social Security office.

To learn more about the Medicare prescription drug plans and special enrollment periods, visit www.medicare.org or call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227; TTY 1-877-486-2048).

So this Mother's Day, help make this the best of times by saving your mom, or any loved one, an average of \$3,900 a year on prescription drugs. In times like these, every dollar counts.

Bernard O'Nan is the district manager at the Ashland Social Security office. A representative from the Ashland office visits West Liberty every first and third non-holiday Monday at the Community Center starting at 8:30 a.m. The Ashland office can be reached at 606-324-0516.

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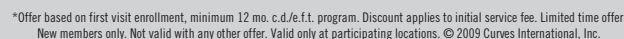
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By Sandra (Nee) Carpenter

May 1 – I would like to say Happy Mother’s Day to all the mothers on May 10.

Barbara Carpenter will be celebrating a birthday on May 10 (Mother’s Day). Happy birthday, and many more to come.

Louise Hall, of West Liberty, was a visitor of Dean Bailey recently.

I would like to send get well wishes to a friend of mine, Mary Barnett, who received a broken arm. Get well soon, Mary.

Russell Kemplin has been on the sick list. We hope he gets to feeling well soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKinney were visiting with Ollie McKinney at Edgewood Estates in Fighburg.

The writer was in Morehead this week for a doctor’s appointment at Cave Run Clinic.

Sandra and Barbara Carpenter were in Mt. Sterling on Friday and visited with Tamara Carpenter and enjoyed eating out.

Tamara will return to work on Monday. She has been laid off for several months and is looking forward to going back.

Carolyn Williams, of Owingsville, was overnight guest of Barbara Carpenter.

Carolyn Williams and Barbara and Sandra Carpenter visited with Harold Goodpaster this week.

Barbara Carpenter visited with Lexie Goodpaster on Sunday, April 26. Lexie remains the same.

I would like to send a hello out to Mary Long. I hope you are feeling up to par. Mary and family members were at Natural Bridge State Park recently for a picnic.

Tamara Carpenter, of Mt. Sterling, and friend, Adam Tate, were at Natural Bridge State Park for a picnic and hiking this past week.

Mary Stacey, of Hwy. 519, called and spoke to the writer this week. I was glad to hear from her. Mary has been a good friend for many years.

Harold Goodpaster missed a visit from Ray Cassity on Thursday. Come back soon, Ray.

The writer spoke with Brenda Kemplin a few minutes by phone this week.

Barbara Carpenter spoke to Ethel Turner by phone. Ethel is a sister to the late Opal Goodpaster.

Harold Goodpaster and Sandra and Barbara Carpenter were in Lexington on Saturday, May 2, to visit with Venus Goodpaster. Venus was very much improved. Pray this will continue.

The writer ran into Virgil and Faye Ferguson in Mt. Sterling. It was good to talk with them.

Everyone is very concerned with the swine flu. Please take extra precautions about being around large crowds – especially doctors’ offices and hospitals. Wash your hands frequently or carry small bottles of sanitizer if you are susceptible to getting sick easily. Wear a surgeon’s mask. I read where it is a combination of swine, bird and human flu.

Some of the ladies of Tom’s Branch Community Church, Lennie Montgomery, Sara Coder, Juanita Pieratt and Louise Hall (the Sunshine Girls) visited at the Edgewood Estates, West Liberty and Campton nursing homes, sang for the residents and enjoyed the day.

Harold Goodpaster received calls from Nellavine Gibson, of Ohio, Betty Stewart, Jenny Thompson, of Ohio, and Janis (Smith) Davis, of California, inquiring about Venus. Thanks for all the calls.

Blaze Community Holiness Church will be starting homecoming revival on May 11, with Bro. Eugene Haney preaching throughout the week starting at 7 p.m. nightly. Vernon Lewis and congregation would be happy to have you come out and enjoy the services.

To report news, call 725-4186.

For those on the go with little time, here is a quick and easy recipe.

Taco Crunch Casserole
1 lb. hamburger
1 onion chopped
1/2 green pepper, chopped
8 oz. frozen sweet corn
2 tbsp. taco seasoning mix
2/3 c. water
8 oz. salsa
crunched chips
cheddar cheese
Brown hamburger and onion.

Drain excess fat. Add green pepper after hamburger is browned and cook for short time. Add corn, taco seasoning, water and salsa. Mix all together. Spread half in casserole dish. Top with crunched chips and then shredded cheese.

Spread remaining mix on top, then add cheese and chips. Bake until hot, 20 minutes or so at 350 degrees. Serve immediately.

CORRECTION

Haley Blevins, sixth grade student at Morgan County Middle School, was inadvertently omitted from a recently published honor roll list. Our apologies to Haley.

Lenox

By Estelle Caskey

May 4 – Our community is deeply saddened by the passing of our longtime friend and neighbor, Mozella Cassidy Trimble. We extend our deepest sympathy to her family and to all others who have lost loved ones.

Estelle and Louise Caskey visited with Mrs. Ruby Caskey and Mrs. Bernice Craft at West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center last Friday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Mae Bates was among the Morgan County High School freshmen who visited the University of Kentucky campus last Wednesday.

Mrs. Joyce Ferguson and Mrs. Reva Hutchinson were shopping in Paintsville last Wednesday.

Mrs. Reva Hutchinson had business in Morehead one day last week.

Estelle and Louise Caskey visited last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Wilma Reed and Mrs. Reva Hutchinson.

Rick Kelly is reportedly recovering nicely from back surgery last week.

Congratulations to Parker Banks and Amanda Gilliam, who are graduating this week from Morehead State University. We know you both have great futures in the medical profession, and we wish you success in all your endeavors. Keep on rolling!

Don’t Criticize

Do not find fault with the man who limps,

Or stumbles along the road, Unless you have worn the shoes he wears,

Or struggled beneath his load, There may be tacks in his shoes that hurt,

Though hidden away from view, Or the burden he bears placed on your back,

Might cause you to stumble too, Don’t sneer at the man who is down today,

Unless you have felt the blow That caused his fall or felt the same

That only the fallen know, You may be strong but still the blows

That were his if dealt to you, in the selfsame way at the selfsame time,

Might cause you to stagger too, Don’t be harsh with the man who sins,

Or pelt him with wood or stone, Unless you are sure, yes, doubly sure,

That you have no sins of your

own, For, you know, perhaps if the tempter’s voice Should whisper as soft to you, As it did to him when he went astray, It would cause you to falter too.

Household Hints

• The key to defeating fatigue is to identify the real root cause by getting a physical examination from your family physician.

• Sleep apnea is a serious medical condition which is characterized by brief interruptions of breathing during sleep and is often signaled by snoring during sleep and daytime tiredness. It is a treatable condition, but if untreated, it can lead to heart disease, high blood pressure and stroke.

• Clean and refresh window curtains one panel at a time by placing a washcloth dampened with full strength Woolite in the dryer with the panel and run on low heat for approximately 10 minutes.

• Use equal parts of vinegar and tap water to mop floors, especially hardwood, and for cleaning shiny surfaces. It is a natural bacteria fighter and prevents mold and mildew.

• Spray Windex on a food/coffee/soda stain on carpet. Wait 60 seconds, blot with a terry cloth towel and gently rub the spot in a circular motion from the outside in.

Bellamy Court

By Ethel Shearer

May 4--Ethel Shearer visited her sister, Edna Shearer Barber, and Billy Joe Barber from February 24 through March 7.

Henry Milton Bailey, Sr. and Chassie Bailey were visiting Edna Shearer Barber and Billy Joe Barber on March 6 and 7.

Heather Bailey, her boyfriend, Luther, and their little boy were visiting her aunt, Edna Shearer Barber and Billy Joe Barber, on February 27 and 28.

Johnny Clinton Bailey was visiting his sister, Edna Shearer Barber and Billy Joe Barber March 21 through the 25th.

Ethel Shearer was visiting her sister, Edna Shearer Barber and Billy Joe Barber March 25 through April 3.

Get well wishes go to Billy Joe Barber and Kedrick Caskey, Hester Caskey, Buel Cantrell Darrell Fraley, and all others that are sick and in the hospitals and nursing homes.

I am sending a check to renew my paper for another year.

Junction News

By Kathy Bolin

May 4--Greetings from the Junction.

Who would have thought that the broken up cowboy that drove his horse 21 hours from New Mexico with a broken foot, would win the Kentucky Derby, 50/1 odds. Just hard to believe.

I don’t have any birthdays this week, that’s a little unusual.

Daryl Fraley was taken to U.K. hospital last week. Passersby saw him slumped over his tractor and 911 was called. Daryl was flown by helicopter from East Valley School. At the hospital he was diagnosed with a stroke, but was given a miracle shot that relieves most of the stroke effects, if administered within three hours. Daryl is far from healed, but is doing good.

Earnie Smith went from Paul B. Hall to Lexington hospital with problems with his kidneys.

Buford Jones, of Lower Sand Lick, has had health issues for some time now. He was taken to ARH.

On a sad note all I really have to report this week are those that have been ill.

Methane in water can result from natl. gas drilling

April 30 — Natural gas drilling is being blamed for water pollution in several states. In some cases, drilling sends methane gas into nearby water wells and groundwater sources. “Drinking water with methane isn’t necessarily harmful,” writes Abraham Lustgarten for ProPublica, “but the gas becomes dangerous when it evaporates out of the water and into people’s homes, where it can become flammable. It can also suffocate those who breathe it.”

In Dimock, Pa., which has seen much gas drilling into the Marcellus Shale, several wells have exploded. One person was told that if he wanted to take a bath, he needed to open a window because of the high methane levels in his water. It’s a story that’s not unique to the area. A recent report from Garfield County, Colo., one of the most heavily drilled areas in the U.S., found that gas drilling has affected dozens of wells in the area.

Gas drilling increasingly in-

Bonny

By Faye Ferguson

Hi everyone. Hope everyone is ok. I’d like to say to all the sick hope everyone is feeling better.

Virgil and I both have been on the sick list. He had boty eyes operated on and had cataracts taken off. He can see a lot better and is doing fine. I had gallstone surgery and am doing fine. We also have a son-in-law, Johnny Bates, that is awful sick. He is home now but still real sick. We are praying for his recovery. Everyone pray for him. He is such a good man. He is our music player in church and a good one. He sure has had a time.

We have been able to put our garden out. Thank God he is so good to us.

Dorman Nipper came to see us last week. He fell and hurt himself but he is better now.

Virgil lost a brother recently. His brother, Charlie Ferguson, of Ohio died. He has another brother, Bill, who had heart surgery. He is doing fine.

To all who have lost loved ones, you have our deepest sympathy and love. May God bless you all.

I’m so proud to see warm weather. I love it, even put out some flowers.

We went to Johnny Davis’ church where Darrell Williams in pastor. We had a good service. Darrell preached so good. He has church Saturday and Sunday nights, Saturday at 7 p.m., and Sunday at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome.

We had a good shower of rain today. It is good on our gardens.

I had a long distance call from my sister’s boy in Ohio. He said they were fine, working every day. Good to hear from him.

We also got a call from our sister-in-law, Mildred Ferguson, from Bardstown. She lets us hear from Bill. It’s so nice of her. We would like to say hi to Bill. So proud you are doing so good.

I would also like to say hi to Sandy Carpenter and her mom. You are such sweet people.

volves fracturing, which shoots water, sand and chemicals into deep rock formations at high pressure. Critics says the process pushes the gas into aquifers. The gas industry says aquifers are protected by thousands of feet of rock, and that any pollution is just an isolated example, occurring when drillers do not follow regulations. —Ky. Institute for Rural Journalism

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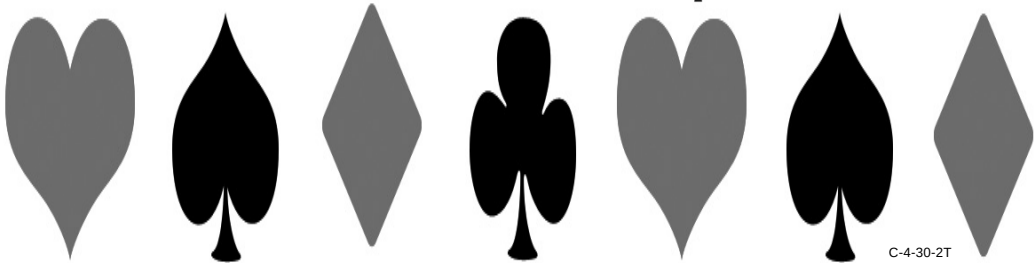
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Safety first: How to identify census workers

The U.S. Census Bureau says safety is top priority for its employees and the public. That's why the Census Bureau is reminding people that census address listers wear official identification badges and use handheld computers to record addresses. The 2,000 employees now combing Kentucky streets building an address list for the 2010 Census might also carry black workbags with the words "U.S. Census Bureau" on them.

Anyone who is worried by someone gazing at his house or knocking at her door should ask for identification," said William W. Hatcher, regional director in the Charlotte Regional Census Center, which supports 2010 Census operations in Kentucky and four other states. "You can ask for the address lister's name and the phone number of the local census office to call and

verify employment. We want residents to feel safe so that census workers can safely do their jobs."

Two local census offices opened in Kentucky in 2008 to supervise the current address canvassing operation. They are located in Lexington (859) 422-7210 and Louisville (502) 580-0010. Later this year, five more local census offices will open in the state to support 2010 Census operations.

Address listers are updating and completing a confidential address list that will be used to mail or deliver 2010 Census questionnaires next March. The address canvassing operation began April 6 in the state and will continue through mid-summer. Address listers use handheld computers that capture GPS information as they verify an address and ask residents about ad-

ditional living quarters on the premises.

Hatcher stressed that census workers never ask for a bank account number or social security information during 2010 Census operations. The 2010 Census will be America's 23rd decennial census, as mandated by the U.S. Constitution.

"Our address listers record only address information during this operation," Hatcher said. "All of the information the Census Bureau gathers in the decennial census, as well as other surveys and censuses, is strictly confidential."

Census employees take an oath of confidentiality and can face a fine of up to \$250,000 and five years in prison for violating that oath.

Decennial Census results will be used to determine the number of congressional seats for each state, the shape of legislative and local government districts, and how \$300 billion in federal funds is distributed annually to communities across America.

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WASHINGTON, March 11 — Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack today announced that the department is accepting funding applications from eligible entities for grants to conduct energy audits under the Rural Energy for America Program (REAP).

"For the first time ever, USDA will make grant funding available this year through the Rural Energy for America Program to help agricultural producers and rural small businesses obtain audits to identify ways to improve energy efficiency," Vilsack said. "The assistance provided by this program is in keeping with President Obama's energy conservation goals for our nation." The program is authorized in Section 9007 of the 2008 Farm Bill.

The audits are intended to help rural small businesses and agricultural producers determine where to make changes in their operations to enable them to reduce energy consumption. Audits are required for renewable energy and energy efficiency projects funded through REAP that exceed \$50,000. States, tribal and local governments, land grant colleges or universities, other institutions of higher learning, and electric cooperatives and public power entities are eligible to receive funds to conduct the audits. Parties seeking audits from the grantees must pay 25 percent of audit costs.

Applications for grants must be completed and submitted on paper or electronically no later than June 9. For further details about eligibility rules and application procedures, see page 10533 of the March 11, 2009,

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Letters Column



Hwy. 519 VFD Requests New Membership Fee Collection Method

How can 519 Volunteer Fire Department help you? In addition to the fire protection we provide, we have worked, persisted and requested to have a special inspection to acquire an ISO rating from a 10 to a 9. When we became a class 9 department, it brought you an average of \$100 per year savings on your homeowners insurance.

An ISO rating is one indicator that insurance companies use to determine discounts. It takes a great deal of money to have enough high performance trucks and other equipment required to meet the rigid criteria for each level we request to achieve. We now desire very much to become a class 8 fire department in 2009. If this is accomplished, and we feel confident that we can pass the test, you would benefit with about a third more reduction in your homeowners insurance premiums. Is this not a deal for your \$35 annual membership fee? Unfortunately, we do not have the money to accomplish this milestone.

We want to keep you, our supporters, informed of what our financial status is. We still owe for two of our trucks. We request that our state aid money each year be put toward that expense. Additional expenditures for 2008 include:

- Insurance on fire trucks and two buildings (\$6,500).
- Fuel for truck operation (\$1,000).
- Utilities: electric, gas for heating and phone (\$3,356).
- Building repair for station #1 (\$13,500).
- Postage for membership letters (\$378).
- Minimal supplies for office and cleaning (\$300).

These additional expenses have cost us approximately \$25,034.

Income received during 2008 includes:

- A dollar-for-dollar matching fund from Morgan County government and an undisclosed donor of \$10,000 each specified for a fire truck for the Wrigley station only. Thank you very much.
- \$7,750 state aid specified for truck payment. State aid money can never be used for incidental spending but only trucks, equipment or gear must be approved prior to spending.
- \$10,175 (this is about 40 percent of the people paying) from 2008 membership fees and donations. This is the only money we have available to pay our additional expenses, which is not enough - do the math. We needed \$14,859 to balance the budget without dipping into our savings.

Since the attack on 9/11, our insurance has tripled. We have had to use money in savings for this increase each year since 2001 and for the repair on station #1 this year. Our operating budget, which includes membership dues, donations and savings, has had a smaller bottom line since 9/11. Operating costs have also increased for everything, causing our bottom line to shrink even more. If circumstances do not change, we will be operating in the red by the end of 2009. If there is no money, we cannot make improvements and become a class 8 department because our doors will have to close.

Fire Chief Drexel Patrick has met with our magistrate, Stanley Riggsby, numerous times to discuss ways that the county government could help us financially. Mr. Riggsby tried to find ways and has commented time and time again that he wants to help. He suggested that we change the way we collect our membership fee. Perhaps instead of mailing, we could have the fee listed on property tax bills. This would have saved several hundred dollars in postage and been more convenient for us and you. We anticipated that this would increase the number of memberships we normally receive, generate ample revenue for operating costs, and possibly reduce the amount in the near future back to \$25. However, Mr. Riggsby had a change of heart and decided not to make a motion for this to be implemented.

When we organized this fire department 20 years ago, we worked tirelessly year after year

doing fundraisers, attending many hours of required training and spending precious time away from our families - all at our own expense for gas in our personal vehicles, putting our lives on the line. We have accomplished so much with so few backing us up.

Mr. Riggsby stated that he is reluctant to impose an additional financial burden on his constituents by placing the membership fee on property tax bills, which would be less than \$0.10 per day. Yes, it is our choice to volunteer ("free") for all we do, but we should not have to continue to raise all the money for buildings and trucks and then also have to raise money for operating costs. Ask this, "Who is experiencing the hardship?"

We feel that Mr. Riggsby's reluctance to ask the Fiscal Court to allow the fee to be included on the tax bills may be denying his constituents tremendous savings. We are not asking for a tax, or even more money, but that the membership fee we already collect be collected in a different way. We would like to continue our service and make improvements in our departments, but it is time that everyone in the community begin to help.

Could someone out there volunteer your time, organize and oversee a fundraising project, or maybe change Mr. Riggsby's view to do what would be fair for everyone, and not just put the financial responsibility on a few?

To those who are supportive, we thank you on behalf of the entire community. You are as important to the department as the firefighters are.

Now, reverse the question. How can you help the 519 VFD? We need a higher percentage of you to submit your annual membership fee as soon as possible. You can also contact our magistrate, Stanley Riggsby, at 743-3675 to let him know how you feel about the support of the county government and suggestions you may have. In addition, if you would like to spearhead a fundraiser, or have questions or concerns, you are welcome to call Fire Chief Drexel Patrick at 743-4401.

Serving with pride,
Trena Martin-Patrick
519 Volunteer Firefighter

PROPERTY OWNERS SPEAK OUT

Dear Editor,

Our driveway is about 700 feet long. Rex and I have a problem at the farm we own on Hwy. 844 at Stacy Fork related to the Morgan County road funds being used to keep up a driveway on the end of our farm. It goes to the bottoms and one family across the creek. We fenced the driveway to keep trucks and equipment out of our field.

So the county road department says it cut trees at the property line. We went up on Saturday, May 2, and put a fence on the property line according to our deed. The county road department installed a culvert across the ditch, which is the property line to Stacy's property.

We object to Judge Executive Tim Conley doing this. We object the county road funds being used on our driveway.

We live in Montgomery County.

Morgan County does things up here without our knowledge. The county has never notified us. Tell me, where is the Morgan County road department's manners or concern for us?

The road department is having a meeting on 7:30 a.m. Monday, May 18. We will be there and urge others to start attending.

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The Judge's Corner

By Tim Conley

Morgan County Judge/Executive



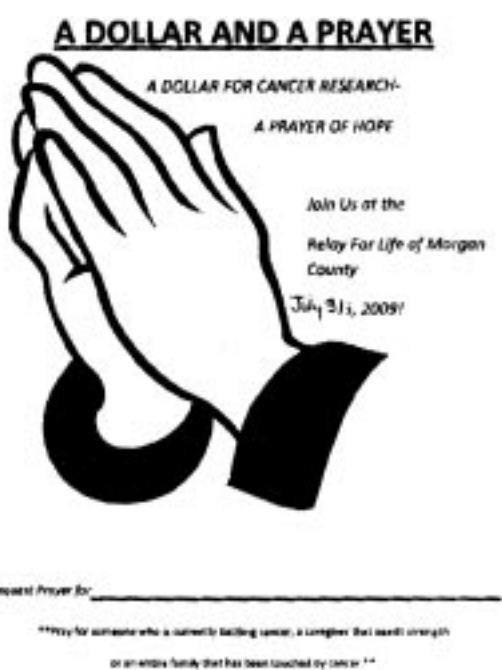
Hello from Judge Tim Conley and Staff:

With all the cancer and sickness that we hear of here in Morgan County, this year as much as ever we need to support the Relay for Life.

This year's event will be held on July 31. Come out and support such a worthy event. Let's come together and give survivors hope and encouragement and the families who have lost loved ones our love and comfort.

This year, you will be able to donate a Dollar for Dollar and a prayer. The dollar will be sent to research for a cure. The special prayer will be prayed to our Heavenly Father.

If you believe in prayer, come out on July 31 and let's join and pray a healing prayer. The above form will be available that night



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to fill out and a special prayer will be offered for all who have a request.

You can contact me by writing to Judge Executive Tim Conley, 450 Prestonsburg St., West Liberty, KY 41472, calling 606-743-3897 or e-mailing mcfc.tc@gmail.com

Indictments ... Strategic ...

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on March 18, 2008.

• Delmar Wilson, 52, of West Liberty - failure to comply with sexual registration laws on Dec. 15, 2008.

• David J. Sowards, 46, of Ezel - wanton endangerment (first degree) on March 3, 2009; assault (fourth degree) on March 3, 2009; unlawful imprisonment (first degree) on March 3, 2009.

• Jonathan Shawn Dulin, 32, of West Liberty - flagrant non-support of his child pursuant to court order and accumulating an arrearage of \$7,571.86 on April 16, 2009; persistent felony offender (second degree) on April 16, 2009.

• Phillip Jason Lewis, 30, Rowan County Detention Center, Morehead, Ky. - flagrant non-support of his two children pursuant to court order and accumulating an arrearage of \$4,616 on April 16, 2009.

• Charles Boles, 25, of Denniston, Ky. - flagrant non-support of his child pursuant to court order and accumulating an arrearage of \$3,967 on April 16, 2009.

• Rebecca Tolson, 24, of Cannel City - flagrant non-support of her two children pursuant to court order and accumulating an arrearage of \$11,165 on April 16, 2009.

• Benjamin Salazar, 40, of Sadieville - flagrant non-support of his two children pursuant to court order and accumulating an arrearage of \$15,097.50 on April 16, 2009.

Indicted on a misdemeanor charge was

Lydia Parker, 47, of Sandy Hook, Ky. - theft by deception by obtaining from Dale Elam a washer of a value of \$140 in return for a worthless check drawn by the defendant on First National Bank at Sandy Hook, Ky., on Sept. 13, 2008.

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sion of the county's agricultural heritage. Topics will include developing "rural destination" farms, expanding the farmer's market and creating agricultural entrepreneurial enterprises.

• Education & Economic Development - The education and economic development team members announced that they are making progress in developing a healthcare mentoring program for local youth. MSU at West Liberty officials are cooperating with local schools and health care providers to establish educational career paths.

Team members are also overseeing a community beautification project in downtown West Liberty, to which six sponsors have already committed.

• Community Events & Activities - The community events and activities team members said that playground equipment for special needs children and a water feature are needed at Old Mill Park, which participant Melissa McKenzie suggested to city officials at the April 27 city council meeting.

Strategic Plan Overview

Following work team comments, Long presented a brief summary of the strategic plan that will be presented to the community at the final New Cities meeting on May 14. He noted that the plan will focus on practical steps the community can take to implement projects, as well as the values of caring, friendliness, local culture, education, agricultural heritage, safety, faith and family.

Possible short- and long-term projects that may be implemented through the strategic plan include the following:

- Youth mentoring and involvement.
- Partnering with Morehead State University to build a medical professional workforce.
- Creating opportunities for local talent to perform regularly.
- Building an amphitheater.
- Identifying local business opportunities.
- Developing "Neighbor Helping Neighbor" program for elder care volunteers.
- Expanding local parks.
- Beautifying Main Street.
- Developing community "garden patches."
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- Holding informational conferences to educate those inter-

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ested in specific economic opportunities.

Each work team will schedule a meeting before the final New Cities meeting on May 14 to begin implementing these projects. Members will discuss their projects and challenges at the New Cities meeting.

Progress & Goals

Chamber of Commerce President Hank Allen said during a May 1 interview that he is especially pleased with the progression of education and economic development team members' youth mentoring program.

"This initiative will eventually create a two-year nursing program at MSU at West Liberty," Allen said. "This project has a lot of momentum, and MSU President Dr. Wayne Andrews is very excited about it. This program will help the existing economy and maybe even create new jobs in Morgan County."

Allen also noted that the education and economic development team members working on the community beautification project will in coming weeks place new benches and flower planters on Main Street.

"Things are starting to come together for our work teams," Allen said. "We are taking steps toward shaping a better future for Morgan County, and I believe the final outcome will be extremely gratifying."

The Chamber of Commerce will host a pig roast with live entertainment and door prizes at the final New Cities meeting 6-8 p.m. Thursday, May 14, at MSU at West Liberty. The public is invited to attend.

For more information about the final meeting, contact Chamber of Commerce member Sharon Lykins at 743-3330. For more information about the New Cities Institute, visit the website www.newcities.org.

No Motions ...

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the car, Patrick's step-father, Robert Perkins, fired a shot at Mapel as the car fled the scene.

Patrick's bullet-riddled body was discovered a short time later by a witness about 11 miles away on Ky. 1162 (the Vance Fork road). The witness, Edgar King of told authorities he found Mapel beside the road in front of his residence leaning on the car with a wound to the chest. Patrick's body was lying inside the car with several bullet wounds, authorities said.

At the time of the murder, Mapel, who was later indicted for capital murder by a Morgan County grand jury, was an escapee from the Montgomery County Jail, where he was being held on charges of kidnapping his infant son, Billy Wyatt, from a babysitter's home in Mt. Sterling. Melissa Patrick was Billy Wyatt's mother.

In that incident, Mapel allegedly wrecked his vehicle in Menifee County after police attempted to stop him, then fled the scene, leaving his injured child behind in the overturned Jeep. Authorities later caught up with Mapel at a family member's home in Jeffersonville, where he allegedly engaged them in an armed standoff before eventually giving himself up.

Mapel was awaiting trial after pleading not guilty to the kidnapping and standoff case when he escaped from jail on Oct. 16.

Mapel also faces charges in Menifee County for first degree assault, first degree wanton endangerment and first degree criminal abuse. A judge has placed a stay on those proceedings until after Mapel is tried on the murder charge.

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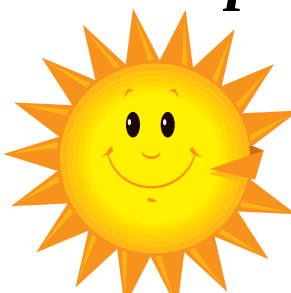
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9:00-11:00 a.m. The deadline for ordering is Sunday, May 17. Pickup day for May menu will be Saturday, May 30, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the church. Delivery will also be at Campton courthouse on Saturday, May 30, at 12 noon. Cash, money orders, checks, and EBT cards accepted. To use an EBT card, get a complete menu or order form, call Sherry Keeton, Host Site Director, 495-5394 or 743-1563 or E-mail keetons@mrtc.com for more information.

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AREA DEATHS

Elizabeth H. Lacy

Elizabeth Hurst Lacy, 89, of Highway 705, West Liberty, died Saturday, May 2, 2009, at her residence.



She was born July 24, 1919, in Wolfe County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late John Nathan Hurst and Mollie Kelly Hurst.

Elizabeth was a retired Morgan County Elementary school teacher, and attended Grassy Lick Baptist and West Liberty Christian churches, in Morgan County, and Okeechobee Christian Church, in Okeechobee, Florida.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one son, Larry Dale Lacy; one daughter, Susan H. Lacy; three brothers, John Kelly Hurst, General Taylor Hurst, and Foster Hurst.

Survivors include her husband, Glenn Lacy, of West Liberty; two children, Glenna H. Lacy and Henry Heston Lacy, both of Frankfort; six grandchildren, Jesse Lacy, Ranger Lacy, Leslie Spencer, Levi Yates, Beth Shields and Glenn Heston Lacy; and five great grandchildren, Mason, Mack and Brogan Spencer, Illyana Yates, Rory and Harper Shields.

Elizabeth was united in marriage to Glenn Lacy on November 3, 1944. For nearly 65 years, she was a loving and devoted wife. She was a supportive and caring mother to her four children and six grandchildren. She also left behind a supportive family of caregivers.

Elizabeth enjoyed teaching both in the classroom and Sunday school most of her adult life. She also enjoyed working on the family farm, gardening, cooking, sewing, and tending to her fruit trees, grape arbor, and flowers.

For the last 25 years Elizabeth and Glenn wintered in Okeechobee, Florida where they enjoyed the warm climate and fishing on Lake Okeechobee.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday, May 4, at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Chapel, with Bro. Kenny Gevedon officiating. Burial followed in Hazel Green Cemetery, at Hazel Green, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were Joshua Kelley, Frankie Burton, Keith Kelley, Drew Mullins, Ernie Holbrook, and Lee Keeton.

Honorary pallbearers were Chassity Kelley, Braxton Kelley, Dakotah Kelley, Dylan Stevens, and Kevin Burton.

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Billy D. Kelley

Billy D. Kelley, 60, of Isonville, died Tuesday, April 28, 2009, at his residence.



He was born October 6, 1948, at Isonville, Kentucky, a son of Alva Gilliam Kelley, and the late Brady L. Kelley.

Billy was a retired truck driver and served in the United States Army.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by one sister, Edra Kay Kelley; a niece, Holly Mae Kelley; a great niece, Taylor Layne Lewis; and his grandparents, Haskell B. and Rosie B. Kelley and Alonzo and Ella Gilliam.

Surviving is his wife of 17 years, Cathy Stevens Kelley, of Sandy Hook; two sons, Justin Kelley and Clarissa, of Sandy Hook, and Joshua Kelley and Kathy, of Isonville; two daughters, Tamatha Kelley, of Sandy Hook, and Christina Skaggs and Danny, of Olive Hill; one stepson, Jarrod Stevens, of Ashland; grandsons, Braxton Kelley, Dakotah Kelley, and Andy Skaggs; granddaughters, Chassity Kelley, who he lovingly referred to as his "baby", Jonna Ison, Noell Skaggs and Ally McDowell; three step-grandsons, Dylan Stevens, Frankie Burton, Kevin Burton, his siblings, Haskell Kelley and Liz, of Isonville; Edna Lee Lewis and Homer, of Isonville, and Sherry Kelley and Lonze Turner, of Sandy Hook; two uncles, Buell Kelley, of Ashland, and Denvil Gilliam and Dixie, of Xenia, Ohio; a very special friend, Ernie Holbrook, and a host of other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends who will sadly miss him.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, May 1, at Fannin Chapel United Baptist Church, in Isonville, with Elder Eulas Adams, Elder Bruce Fyffe, and Elder James D. Rice officiating. Burial followed in the Kelley Family Cemetery, in Isonville, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were Joshua Kelley, Frankie Burton, Keith Kelley, Drew Mullins, Ernie Holbrook, and Lee Keeton.

Honorary pallbearers were Chassity Kelley, Braxton Kelley, Dakotah Kelley, Dylan Stevens, and Kevin Burton.

Janie Peyton

Janie Elizabeth Peyton of West Liberty, Ky., departed this life Tuesday, April 28, 2009, at Morgan County ARH, West Liberty, Ky., at the age of 59 years, one month, and 14 days. She was born on Tuesday, March 14, 1950, at Huntington, W.Va., a daughter of Gladys Helton and the late Fred Helton.



Janie was a homemaker, devoting her life to care for her family and her home. She was a member of the Church of God.

In addition to her father, Janie was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Harold Peyton, and two brothers, Freddie Helton, Jr., and Ray Helton.

Janie is survived by her two sons and daughters-in-law, Scottie and Valerie Peyton of Sandy Hook, Ky., and Steven and Jamie Peyton of West Liberty, Ky.; two granddaughters, Paige Peyton of Sioux Fall, S.D., and Katelyn Peyton of West Liberty, Ky.; her mother, Gladys Helton of Salyersville, Ky.; four sisters, Liz and Clay Howard of Cincinnati, Ohio, Ella Helton of Morehead, Ky., Sidney and Eddy Castle and Fredia Helton, all of West Liberty, Ky., and six brothers, Robert Helton of Salyersville, Ky., Gardner and Donna Helton of Newport, Ky., Byrons and Ruby Helton of Grayson, Ky., Logan and Tabitha Helton of West Liberty, Ky., George and Daitha Helton of Salyersville, Ky., and Freddie and Audrey Helton of Rush, Ky.; one special nephew who was like her son, Doot Shannon Kimelton, and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside service 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 29, 2009, at the Peyton Cemetery, Hwy 191, West Liberty, Ky., with Rev. Eugene Haney officiating.

Potter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers: Nephews. Sign guest book at www.potterfuneralhomeinc.com

THANK YOU

The family of Gary Gibson would like to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers during our difficult recent loss. Gary was a person that never met a stranger. We would like to thank each and everyone who brought or sent food, the beautiful cards, the donations, and the beautiful flowers. We would like to thank the Morgan County Ambulance and the ARH Hospital for all that they did. We would like to thank Bro. Harry Frisby and Bro. Grover Jr. Hammonds for the beautiful words and prayers. We would like to thank the singers, Kenny Dingus and Dean Gibson, for their lovely songs. We would like to thank the pallbearers. We would also like to thank Herald, Stewart, and Halsey Funeral Home. We would like to thank all of Gary's family and friends who visited and stayed in touch with him. Again, thank you. We will always remember and appreciate your kindness and love shown to us. May God bless you all.

Thank you,
The family of Gary Gibson--
Melinda, Dustin, Mark,
Jamie, Lacy, David
and family
(pd)

Mozella Trimble

Mozella Trimble, 74, of Elkfork, died Wednesday, April 29, 2009, in St. Claire Regional Medical Center, in Morehead.



She was born September 4, 1934, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Howell and Stella Buckner Cassity.

In addition to her parents, Mozella was preceded in death by four brothers, Carl, Ivan, Glen, and Walton Cassity; and two sisters, Juanita Cassidy and Estella Cassity.

She was a homemaker and a member of the Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, at Elkfork.

Survivors are her husband, Albert Trimble; five children, Diana Grace, John David and Lennie Trimble, Welma and Artineus Henson, all of Elkfork, Danny and Denise Trimble, of Wayne, Ohio, Mary and Jim Barker, of Greenup; special grandchild, Alex and Kristy Cantrell; grandchildren, Johnathan Wesley Trimble, David Wade Trimble, Ann Amanda and Carl Dybas, Angelia Nicole Adkins, Jamie Lynn Barker, Kimberly Michael Adkins, Steven Trimble, Adam Trimble, Jennifer Trimble and Cierra Henson; one great grandchild, Evelyn Cassity LaShay Dybas; one sister, Ella Moore, of Hillsboro; one brother, Earl Cassity, of West Liberty.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 2, at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Chapel, with Bro. Cortis Ison and Bro. Roger Ball officiating. Burial followed in the Day Cemetery, at Elkfork, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were family and friends.

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Happy birthday and
Happy Mother's Day Mom

MODERATION

The hill may be long and steep, but if our steps are moderate in pace, the chances of getting to the top are much better than if we start too rapidly and are forced to quit before we reach our goal.

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Dewey E. Brown, Jr.

Dewey E. Brown, Jr., 83, of Relief, died Friday, May 1, 2009, in the V.A. Hospital, in Lexington.



He was born May 7, 1925, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a son of the late Dewey E. Brown, Sr. and Etta S. Gamble Brown.

Dewey was a retired carpenter, a World War II veteran, and was baptized as a brother in Christ.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Proctor S. Brown; and three sisters who died in infancy.

Survivors include a daughter, Suellen Zornes and husband, Bill Cunningham, of Ashland; one son, Ned Brown and Miriam David of Lexington; two brothers, James A. Brown, of Flemingsburg, and Jackson E. Brown, of London; 7 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 3, at Paint Valley Enterprise Baptist Church, at Relief, with Bro. Bobby Fultz and Bro. Buell Webb officiating. Burial followed in the Brown Cemetery, at Relief, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Ned Brown, Jr., Seann Brown, Evan Brown, Joseph Zornes, Tyler Zornes, Mike Brown, David Brown, Roger Brown, and Ned Brown.

Military graveside services were conducted by Morgan County D.A.V. Chapter 132.

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I'm in the gentle rains that fall,
and in the morning dew.
All you see that's beautiful
reflects my love for you.

I didn't mean to cause you pain,
my time had simply come.
The work that I was meant to do
on earth had all been done.

I'm safely home in Heaven,

Fern McCoy

Fern Marie Caldwell McCoy, of Campton, beloved mother of Taylor Courtney Caldwell and Charles Franklin Caldwell, departed this life Saturday, April 25, 2009, at the age of 83 years, 8 months and 9 days.

She was a daughter of the late Courtney and Grace Burse Bush, born at Trent, Kentucky, on August 16, 1925.

She was a homemaker, gardener, and a loving wife, mother and grandmother.

Fern was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include two sons, Taylor Courtney Caldwell and wife, Norma, of Prestonsburg, and Charles Franklin Caldwell and wife, Judy, of Campton; four grandsons, Omer, Kendall, Kevin and Charles Riley Caldwell; two granddaughters, Gwen McIntosh and Tina Creech; 15 great grandchildren; three sisters, Hazel Linkous and Betty Mayabb, both of Campton, and Dorothy Elam, of Grassy Creek; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one son, Robert Caldwell; two brothers, William Bush and James Bush; and five sisters, Pearl Matthews, Viola Wilson, Alice Ball, Bess Phillips, and Mabel Barker.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, at Porter and Son Funeral Directors Chapel, with Rev. Ted Linkous officiating. Burial followed in the Bush Family Cemetery, at Trent, with arrangements entrusted to Porter and Son Funeral Directors, of Campton.

where eternal peace is mine.
And where, when God has called you,
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To daughters Brenda and Shirley,
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She is greatly missed,
especially on this upcoming
Mother's Day!

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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 08-CI-00013

Indymac Bank, F.S.B.,
Plaintiff
vs.

Diane Perdue,
Defendant

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 30th day of March, 2009, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 11:30 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Property address:
95 Perkins Hollow
Grassy Creek, KY 41352
Beginning at the property line of Cinda Smith; thence down and with the creek a distance of approximately 325 feet; thence across the bottom a distance of 105 feet to a set stone; thence back to the line of Cinda Smith, the beginning corner.

Subject to any and all easements, restrictions, conditions, and legal highways of record and/or in existence.

Being the same property conveyed from Eugene Porter and Oma Porter, a/k/a Oma Smith, husband and wife, to Diane Purdue, a single woman, by virtue of a deed dated 5/17/2007 and recorded on 5/18/2007 at Deed Book 208, Page 707 of the Morgan County, Kentucky real estate records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the tax year 2009 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
Master Commissioner
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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Civil Action No. 08-CI-00043

Commercial Bank (West Liberty, N.A.,
Plaintiff
vs.

Omar Young, Jr. ET AL,
Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 26th day of November,

2008, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 10:45 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING on the South side of a gravel road at a steel stake at the drain; thence running with the drain in a Southerly course approximately 300 feet to a stake; thence running in an Easterly course approximately 300 feet to a stake; thence running in a Northerly course approximately 300 feet to a stake at the gravel road; thence running with the gravel road a Westerly course approximately 300 feet to the point of beginning.

BEING the same property conveyed to Omar Young, Jr., single, from Kenneth Smith, single, by deed dated September 29, 1997, recorded in the Deed Book 176 at Page 171 of the Morgan County Clerk's Office.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2009 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
Master Commissioner
Morgan Circuit Court
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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 08-CI-00226

The Citizens Bank,
Plaintiff
vs.

David McKenzie, ET AL,
Defendant

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 6th day of March, 2009, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A parcel of land lying along the South side of US HWY 460 in the city of West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky at the jct. of US HWY 460 and River Road approximately 1.7 miles East of KY HWY 191 and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a Set 1.5" P/K nail in pavement at the right of way of US HWY 460 and the Northeast corner of Tract #1; thence North 60 degrees 55 minutes 10 seconds East, with said right of way a distance of 114.46 feet to a 5/8" x 18" rebar with orange plastic cap marked PLS 3100 HOWARDENG; thence North 60 degrees 24 minutes 19 seconds East, with said right of way a distance

of 300.00 feet to a set 5/8" x 18" rebar with orange plastic cap marked PLS 3100 HOWARDENG on the bank of the Licking River; thence North 61 degrees 24 minutes 19 seconds East, with said right of way a distance of 25.82 feet to an unmonumented corner in the center of the Licking River and the property line of Maurine Bush as recorded in Deed Book 153 at Page 105 in the office of the Morgan County Clerk; thence South 18 degrees 26 minutes, 11 seconds East, up with said river and Bush property line a distance of 35.69 feet to a unmonumented corner; thence South 09 degrees, 15 minutes, 16 seconds West, up with said river and Bush property line a distance of 76.55 feet to an unmonumented corner and the property line of Joe D. and Martha Stacy as recorded in Deed Book 149 at page 125 in the office of the Morgan County Clerk; thence South 60 degrees, 49 minutes, 15 seconds West, leaving said river and going up a small drain and said Stacy property line a distance of 50.52 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence South 37 degrees, 16 minutes, 05 seconds West, up said drain and Stacy property line a distance of 17.73 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence South 32 degrees, 33 minutes, 33 seconds West, up said drain and Stacy property line a distance of 71.01 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence South 24 degrees 20 minutes, 41 seconds West, up said drain and Stacy property line a distance of 66.12 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence south 31 degrees, 53 minutes, 22 seconds West, up said drain and Stacy property line a distance of 51.48 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence South 68 degrees, 17 minutes, 30 seconds west, up said drain and Stacy property line a distance of 85.06 feet to an unmonumented corner; thence South 68 degrees, 17 minutes, 30 seconds West, up aid drain and Stacy property line a distance of 21.30 feet to an unmonumented corner at the Southeast corner of Tract #2; thence North 28 degrees 45 minutes 54 seconds West, with a new division line and the East side of Tract #2 and extending along the East side of Tract #1 a distance of 203.64 feet back to the Point of Beginning.

The above described parcel contains 1.50 acres.

The above described parcel is subject to any and all restrictions and easements appearing of record.

Being a part of the same property conveyed to David and Michelle McKenzie as recorded in Deed Book 190, Page 607 and Deed Book 190, Page 611, Morgan County Clerk's Office records.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the tax year 2009 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

Hon. Robert L. Caummisar
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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 08-CI-00116

Fifth Third Mortgage Company,
Plaintiff
vs.

Linda N. Garrison,
Defendant

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 6th day of March, 2009, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 11:15 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Parcel I
A certain parcel of land lying in Morgan County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point which is 200 feet, more or less, South of the NE corner of the Lewis property lying on the West right of way line of Highway 364, which is the point of beginning; thence continuing South along the right of way of Highway 364, a distance of 150 feet to a stake; thence at a 90 degree angle, West a distance of 150 feet to a stake;

thence at a 90 degree angle, North a distance of 150 feet to a stake; thence East a distance of 150 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

And being the same property conveyed to Linda N. Garrison by the instrument recorded December 10, 2003 in Book 196, Page 597 in the Office of the Clerk of Morgan County, Kentucky.

Parcel II
Beginning at the mouth of Tarklin Creek and the center of the Licking River, along the said creek to the A.B. Nickell line (at a small drain) up the hill along A.B. Nickell line to Highway 364; thence in a Northerly direction along Highway 364 to the Jack Conn line; thence down the hill along Jack Conn line to the center of the Licking River; thence in a Southerly direction down the center of the Licking River to the point of beginning. Having 9 acres more or less.

Exception:
Excepting therefrom the following described property which has been conveyed to Linda Garrison by deed dated December 10, 2003, recorded in Deed Book 196, Page 596, Morgan County Court Clerk's Records.

Beginning at a point which is 200 feet, more or less, South of the NE corner of the Lewis property lying on the West right of way line of Highway 364, which is the point of beginning; thence continuing South along the right of way of Highway 364, a distance of 150 feet to a stake; thence at a 90 degree angle, West a distance of 150 feet to a stake; thence at a 90 degree angle, North a distance of 150 feet to a stake; thence East a distance of 150 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

And being the same property conveyed to Linda N. Garrison, Jerry Nickell, and Deola Nickell by the instrument recorded January 19, 2004 in Book 197, Page 57 in the Office of the Clerk of Morgan County, Kentucky.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale, possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the tax year 2009 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Civil Action No. 08-CI-00043

Commercial Bank (West Liberty), N.A.,
Plaintiff
vs.

Omar Young, Jr. ET AL,
Defendants

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 26th day of November, 2008, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 11:00 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot, plot, piece, tract or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan, on the waters of Lower Sand Lick of Paint Creek, and further bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING with a steel stake approximately 300 yards from Phipps and Hazel Young line on the north side bank of Buckner Branch; thence north a distance of 200 feet to a set stake; thence west a distance of 150 feet to a set stake; thence south a distance of 200 feet to a set stake at the point of beginning being a parcel of land, 150'x200' property known as the Kennis and Ruby Young house site.

BEING the same property conveyed to Omar Young, Jr., single, and Lenora Skeens, single, from Omar Young and Mable Young, husband and wife, by deed dated the 21st day of February 1996, recorded in the Deed Book 171 at Page 141 of the Morgan County Clerk's Office.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgaged premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes assessed such property for the year 2009 and all subsequent years. This property shall be sold subject to any ad valorem and real property taxes not delinquent as of the date of sale.

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NOTICE OF SALE Commonwealth Of Kentucky Morgan Circuit Court Case No. 09-CI-00018

Chase Home Finance, LLC,
Plaintiff
vs.

Mary Dotson,
Defendant

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale in the Morgan Circuit Court, entered on the 30th day of March, 2009, in the above styled action, Hon. Robert L. Caummisar, Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court, shall proceed to offer for sale, under the following terms and conditions, at the front door of the Courthouse, West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 8th day of May, 2009, at the hour of 10:15 a.m., the following described property, lying and being in the State of Kentucky, County of Morgan and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

North based on a magnetic bearing taken 1/11/08.

All iron pins set are 1/2" x 18" rebar with orange plastic surveyors cap stamped PLS 3303.

BEGINNING at an iron pins et in the right-of-way line of McClurg Road and a corner to Mary Dotson (Deed Book 175, page 277); thence with the Dotson line South 25 Deg 37 Min 25 Sec East, a distance of 359.47 feet to a metal fence post (found) in the line of John McClurg (Deed Book 130, page 267); thence with the McClurg line South 70 Deg 39 Min 40 Sec West, a distance of 99.30 feet to a metal fence post (found) a corner to Melissa Ion (Deed Book 170, page 385) and Mary Dotson (Deed Book 179, page 277); thence with a severance line through the Dotson property North 20 Deg 21 Min 29 Sec West, a distance of 155.28 feet to an iron pin set; thence North 72 Deg 54 Min 23 Sec East, a distance of 73.99 feet to an iron pin set; thence North 21 Deg 25 Min 23 Sec West, a distance of 25.39 feet to an iron pin set; thence South 76 Deg 30 Min 03 Sec West, a distance of 73.93 feet to an iron pin set; thence North 20 Deg 21 Min 29 Sec West, a distance of 80.00 feet to a fence post (found); thence North 45 Deg 03 Min 40 Sec West, a distance of 73.69 feet to a metal fence post (found) in the right-of-way line of McClurg Road; thence with the right-of-way line North 55 Deg 46 Min 57 Sec East, a distance of 100.00 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; said described tract containing 0.65 Acre.

Subject to all legal right-of-ways and easements being of record or not of record.

The tract is more fully shown on map or plat as surveyed, drawn and dated January 15, 2008 by Markus Johnson's Land Surveying Professional Land Surveyor No. 3303 and attached hereto and made apart thereof by reference.

Manufactured home: 2007 Fleetwood Model #: 4704K, VIN: TNFL727AB32545.

Being the same property conveyed to Zenas Dotson and Mary Dotson, his wife, by deed from Roy Bowling and Phyllis Bowling, his wife, dated August 21, 1998, recorded in Deed Book 179, Page 277, Morgan County Clerk's Office records. Zenas Dotson died on May 15, 2004, leaving Mary Dotson as the sole titleholder.

The aforementioned real estate can not be divided without materially impairing its' value and shall be sold as a whole. The real estate shall be sold on a credit of thirty (30) days, with the privilege of the purchaser to pay for bid in cash, then the purchaser shall make a cash down payment in the amount of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price to cover the costs of the judicial sale; and the purchaser shall execute a bond for the remainder of the purchase price, with good surety thereon, to be approved by the Master Commissioner of this Court, and bearing interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from the date of the sale, until paid; additionally, a lien shall be retained upon the real estate to be sold herein, to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of the date of sale upon which execution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

ecution may be levied by the Master Commissioner of this Court.

In the event that the successful bidder is the Plaintiff to this action, which has been adjudged to have a lien on that particular tract or parcel of real or personal property bid upon, then and in that event, said party shall not be required to make any cash deposit or bond.

If any purchaser at said sale shall fail to immediately make cash payment or execute a bond, then the Commissioner shall declare the next highest bidder the purchaser of the real estate.

Upon default of said deposit of posting a bond, by the purchaser or purchasers, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions set out herein.

The hereinabove described real property shall be sold free and clear of the claims, interests, liens and encumbrances of all parties herein, except restrictions and easements appearing of record, in the Morgan County Court Clerk's Office.

The risk of loss for the subject property shall pass to the purchaser on the date of sale. Possession of the premises shall pass to the purchaser upon payment of the purchase price and delivery of deed.

The Purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss clause payable to the Master Commissioner of the Morgan Circuit Court or the Plaintiff herein.

The Defendants, their agents, employees, successors or assigns shall vacate the mortgage premises immediately upon the confirmation of the Master Commissioner's Sale.

The

AREA DEATHS

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE



In loving memory of Hassan Clevenger on his birthday May 17th.

"We Miss You More Today"

It has been twelve years now since God called you away, and we miss you more today than we did yesterday. They say as time passes our pain will soon subside. But we miss you more today than we did the day you died.

THANK YOU

I would like to take this time through The Licking Valley Courier to thank each and everyone who stood by me through my heart surgery and two weeks stay at Central Baptist Hospital. Also to the doctors and nurses who were so kind, and to my family who was always there when I needed them. Most of all, I want to thank each and everyone who said a prayer in my behalf.

Our eyes still cry to see you, our hearts still feels your touch and even though we try not to, we miss you still so much. When it is our time to leave this world and start my journey home. Maybe then we will no longer feel so all alone. For in Heaven we'll be together and you'll never go away, and we won't ever miss you like we are missing you today. We can still hear your voice and see your smiling face. As you fill our thoughts each day remembering how we cared for you and knowing how blessed we are to have been a part of your life. Nothing will be able to fill the emptiness we feel now that you're gone. But your memory continues to live in our hearts getting stronger with each passing day until one day soon we will meet again.

Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by your wife, Alpha, sons, Barry and Demspey, daughter, Joy, grandchildren and relatives.

God bless you Dad in Heaven. We miss and love you. You'll never be forgotten as long as we live here on earth.

Thanks to each and everyone for the beautiful cards, flowers, and each phone call. Thanks to the caregiver, Mrs. Peggy Trimble, who stayed three weeks with me after I came home. I am doing much better. I still desire the prayers of each Christian. Thanks to everyone.

Mrs. Ella Williams
Hwy. 589
West Liberty, Ky
(pd)

Swine Flu ...

(Continued From Page One)

trash after you use it.

•Wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after you cough or sneeze. Alcohol-based hand cleaners are also effective.

•Try to avoid close contact with sick people.

•If you are sick or not feeling well, stay home from work or school and limit contact with others to keep from infecting them. If you feel that you need medical care, call your physician or clinic first and discuss your symptoms with them. This will minimize the spread of any contagion in waiting rooms and doctors' offices.

WEST LIBERTY POLICE DEPARTMENT



April 26 - May 2

• If you see or have information on any criminal activity, we ask that you call us at 606-743-4385. We **do not want** your name, but we do want your information.

• The West Liberty Police Department will conduct traffic safety checkpoints in addition to moving patrols through the remainder of 2009.

Cases/Investigations Opened

- Assault (fourth degree)
- Violation of Kentucky EPO/DVO
- Forgery
- Possession of a controlled substance (third degree)

Arrests

1 Fugitive from justice
1 Theft by unlawful taking
1 Bench warrant

Citations issued – 6
Non-injury accidents – 1
Injury accidents — 0

E-911 Calls for Service
County Wide — 95
City — 35

WORDS OF WISDOM

The greatest gift you can give your children are the roots of responsibility and the wings of independence.

— Denis Waitley
Motivational Speaker
Writer

East Valley Elem.

Honor Roll List

East Valley Elementary School has released the following honor roll for the third nine weeks of school.

Shana D. Reed, teacher--Honor Roll: Stacia Blackburn, Shateka Coffee, and Amber Cantrell.

Sherrironica N. Thomas, teacher--Super Honor Roll: Tony Kimbler, McKenzie Mayse, Madison Price. Honor Roll: Blossom Boone, Cody Hammonds, Hope Keeton, Alyson McKenzie, Stephanie Moore, Dakota Watson, Justin Wright.

Bertinia K. Murphy, teacher--Super Honor Roll: Carly Adkins, Chase Wagers. Honor Roll: Matthew Ball, Adam Cantrell, Nicole Smith, Becky Keeton.

Lisa F. Williams, teacher--Super Honor Roll: Kurt Gilliam, Tyler Wright, Whitney Wright. Honor Roll: Derek Blanton, Ruby Cantrell, Zack Cantrell, Sarah Gibson, Brittany McKenzie.

Larinda Nickell, teacher--Super Honor Roll: Austin Dillingham, Samantha Helton, Tyler Potter, Garrett Howell. Honor Roll: Will Hembree, Jacob Jenkins, Taylor Jenkins, Garet Loudermilk, Harley Martin, Franklin McKenzie, Cody McKenzie, Betty Rigbsy, Destany Salyer, Julia Stanley, Tyler Smith.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Carly C. Adkins, Garrett L. Adkins, Elizabeth J. Ball, Kimberly A. Ball, Matthew D. Ball, Chandler B. Basham, Alexis A. Bolin, Faith S. Bolin, Gary D. Bolin, Jacob D. Bolin, Blossom R. Boone, Vada C. Boone, Autumn J. Brown, Adam D. Cantrell, Garrett N. Cantrell, Jacob H. Cantrell, Logan K. Cantrell, Robert K. Cantrell.

Jerry C. Dalton, Richard S. Dalton, Dustin T. Dillingham, Madison L. Dulen, Isabella D. Eldridge, Jessica A. Eldridge, John W. Felton, Sarah Gibson, Autum J. Harvey, Samantha E. Helton, William P. Hembree, Carly L. Holbrook, Brandon W. Howard, Jacob T. Jenkins, Emily F. Keeton, Jason W. Keeton, Timothy H. Keeton, Luther E. Kimbler, Brittany D. McKenzie, Franklin L. McKenzie, Harley A. McKenzie, Collin S. Murray, Gracie B. Pack, Jay C. Pack, Shelby P. Perry, Katrina L. Peters, Carlee E. Potter, Madison L. Price, Hannah J. Privett, Jessica M. Ritchie, Christopher L. Robinson, Morgan L. Rose, Zachary B. Ross, Breannia M. Rozier, Dakota L. Salyer, Destany C. Salyer, Jonathon M. Sams, Pamela N. Smith, Tyler S. Smith, Jimmie T. Trujillo, Lucas C. Wagers, Michael C. Wagers, Sarah G. Wagers, Dakota I. Watson, Mitchell E. Watson, Jacob E. Wright, Jala D. Wright, Jason T. Wright, Justin E. Wright, Ryan J. Wright, Whitney F. Wright.

Rep. Rogers secures extra \$1 million for PRIDE water pjts.

WASHINGTON, DC – U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers (Ky.-5th) has announced that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has approved an additional \$1 million to support ongoing water infrastructure projects in Southeast Kentucky. As a part of its Section 531 program, the Corps will work with Southern and Eastern Kentucky PRIDE to identify priority wastewater treatment projects in the area.

"Access to top-notch wastewater infrastructure is crucial for the health and well-being of our people – and our environment," stated Rogers. "Because of the Corps and PRIDE, over 28,000 families in our region have access to responsible wastewater treatment which keeps our streams and rivers clean. It's clear that this public-private partnership through the Section 531 program is invaluable, and I'm pleased that additional funds are headed their way."

As a senior member of the House Appropriations Committee, Rogers works to secure funding for important initiatives in the fifth Congressional District.

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MCMS Teacher Of The Month

The Morgan County Middle School April Teacher of the Month is Mrs. Sabrina Keaton. Mrs. Keaton does a great job with her students. They love her and so do we. Thanks Mrs. Keaton for all you do.

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w/Cheese

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12" Breadstix w/Cheese,

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Have A Great Day!

MY DAD is AWESOME CONTEST!!!

HEY KIDS! DO YOU HAVE AN AWESOME DAD? HOW ABOUT LETTING THE REST OF THE WORLD KNOW ABOUT IT!

CONTEST CATEGORIES:

REQUIREMENTS:

Pre-school age
Elementary School
Middle School
High School

- * Paper should be 2 pages or less
- * Tell us why your Dad is awesome
- Things that you do together
- Why your dad deserves to win

INFORMATION NEEDED TO CONTACT THE WINNERS:

Your Dad's name
Your name
Your grade
Your school if applicable
Your address
Your phone number

DEADLINE:

ALL "AWESOME DAD" applications must be at Hope Pregnancy care Center by May 22, 2009. SO HURRY!!!

YOU CAN SEND YOUR LETTERS TO:

Hope Pregnancy Care Center
167 E. Main Street
Morehead, KY. 40351

ALL WINNERS AND THEIR DADS WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE, AND THEIR LETTERS WILL BE PLACED IN THE PAPER WITH THEIR PICTURE!

The following Counties will have a winner in each grade category: Bath, Montgomery, Menifee, Rowan and Morgan

CONTEST SPONSORED BY: Gateway Community Collaboration for Children Regional Network

WINNERS TO BE ANNOUNCED: EARLY TO MID JUNE, 2009

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• **Philip Lawson, Broker-Auctioneer**

• **Anthony Henry, Associate Broker**

• **Frankie Spencer, Sales Associate**



West Liberty City Limits — 4-6 bedroom home with 4 baths, great room, new appliances in kitchen, fireplaces, many amenities. Really a must see! **Call Anthony for showing and details. 794-0786.**



Crestview — Beautiful 4 bedroom home w/3.5 baths, full finished basement, 2 car garage, many amenities. **Call Anthony 794-0786.**



HARD TO FIND — 4 bedroom home on 460, large living room and family room, nice working kitchen, dining room with two full baths. Large level lot with above ground pool with wrap around deck. **Call Anthony.**



266 Liberty Street — \$57,500 brick ranch home with attached garage on large lot. **Call Philip 768-3583 for details.**



WHY PAY RENT — Vinyl home can be yours cheaper than rent. Gas heat, county water on 1/2 acre lot. **Call Philip.**



Morgan County — Coon Creek 25 acres pasture/woodland with 3 bedroom home on unfinished basement. Very private. **Call Philip 768-3583.**



BUSINESS PROPERTY — C-store operation with building and lot, all fixtures & inventory up to date, gas tanks & canopy. Current owners have operated for 25 years. **Call Philip Lawson for details 768-3583.**



Large Commercial Lot With Large Metal Building — Lot has over 600 feet of road frontage and would be ideal for many businesses. Building has offices bath and large back service bay could be used for retail, warehousing etc. **Call Anthony for more details.**



Looking For A Small Farm? Call Philip about this 20 acres with barn and equipment shed, 1.5 story home with 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, geo-thermal heat/air. Plenty of room inside and out!



Investment Opportunity! Great rentals on 3 acres +/- improvements include 3 bedroom house and 2 single wide homes. Income potential. **Call Frankie 725-9200 or 794-0931.**



Halsey Branch — \$82,500 Immediate Occupancy! Move right in to this three bedroom home! **Call Philip 768-3583 or Anthony 743-7355.**



Hwy. 1094 — 22 acres +/- improved with barn and 3 bedroom brick home. **Call Philip for price and details 768-3583.**



Stacy Fork — 7 acres, barn and 3 bedrooms, 2 bath home with CH/A, county water. Move-in ready. **Call Philip 768-3583.**

LOTS AND ACREAGE

Hwy. 191 — Nice starter home with 4 bedrooms, 1.5 baths on one acre improved with large building w/concrete floor. **Call Anthony 743-7355.**

Ezel — New home construction! 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, vinyl home would be excellent starter home or retire in great neighborhood. Owners will finish or accept offers 'as is'. **Call Frankie for details and showing.**

NEW LISTING — House and 3 acres on Highway 460 East of West Liberty. \$95,000. **Call Philip Lawson (606) 768-3583.**

West Liberty — **Call Frankie** for information on house and 2 acres on River Rd. Priced to sell \$60,000 - 725-9200 or 794-0931.

NEW LISTING — Bryant Fork - 30 acres +/- with older SW mobile home, county water and 2 septic systems, barn and fenced pasture area. Easy access. **Call Philip 768-3583.**

NEW LISTING — Caskey Fork - Country home site! 5 acres +/- with county water, electric, older septic system, driveway. Great building site or ideal for DW or SW home. **Call Philip 768-3583.**

Large Hard To Find Hunting Tract — 323 acres +/- wooded tract pick from many nice home sites to build your home or cabin. Water available close to West Liberty and Morehead Cave Run.

C-5-7-1T

Morgan, Wolfe Countians in 8th Ky. Union Infantry Regiment

By Bob Bickers

In the Battle of Perryville, Ky., on October 8, 1862 the Southern Confederacy sorely tested the mettle of the Union Army. The 8th Ky. Union Infantry Regiment, formed at Estill

Springs and commanded by Col. Sidney M. Barnes, "was present, yet not engaged in the fighting at Perryville." The unit helped to push the rebel troops out of the state.

The 8th Ky. Infantry was

made of mostly Eastern Kentuckians from Estill County with some men from Morgan and Wolfe counties. The latter recently established in 1860.

Regimental historian, Thomas J. Wright, wrote in 1880, he believed the recruits "were excellent marksmen [who] only needed schooling and discipline."

However, after the Battle of Perryville, the men wanted to return to their homes due to "anger over officers' privileges, homesickness, late pay, poor rations, and simple exhaustion."

Some soldiers left their unit with leave and some without, but had every intention of returning to duty.

The Confederates were raiding in Eastern Kentucky. Union soldiers wanted to check on their families, property, and sought to put up provisions for the winter.

The December 10, 1862 *Frankfort Daily Commonwealth* listed these local soldiers:

Company E: (Absent With Leave from Wolfe County) – Elsberry Little, Alfort (Alford?) Shackelford, and William Graham (Absent Without Leave from Wolfe County), Corporal Miles Wilson, Amos R. Williams, and George Little (Absent With Leave from Morgan County) Marion Walter. (Absent Without Leave from Morgan County) Corporal William Bindon (probably, Lindon?).

Company G: (Absent With Leave from Wolfe County) – Elisha Bailey, Randal M. Olinger, and C. L. Shackelford (Absent Without Leave from Wolfe County), James Spence and John H. Stewart.

After the soldiers returned to their unit, many were later engaged at significant battles at Stone River, Chickamauga, and Lookout Mountain. The Emancipation Proclamation took effect January 1, 1863, but did not include slaves in Kentucky. It was not universally welcomed by the soldiers of the regiment.



Kiwanis Club news

West Liberty Kiwanis Club President Joel Medendorp, left, welcomes Frankie Spencer as the club's newest member. At right, Kiwanian Tim Conley thanks West Liberty Mayor Jim Rupe, who presented a program about city government and its operation at a recent Kiwanis meeting.

(Source: Stuart W. Sanders, "Most Honorably Borne: Absences in the Eighth Kentucky Union Infantry in 1862." *Kentucky Ancestors*, Vol. 43, No. 4, Summer 2008 Issue, pp. 172-182.)

Your Social Security

Basics For Planning Your Retirement

Retirement is probably the last thing your mind if you are a young worker. But here are some basics you should know about Social Security and savings to plan your retirement.

Social Security is the foundation for a secure retirement, but was never intended to be your only source of income when you retire. While Social Security replaces about 40 percent of the average worker's pre-retirement earnings, most financial advisors say that you will need about 70 percent or more of pre-retirement earnings to live comfortably.

Even with a pension, you will still need to save. If you will not have a private pension, you will need to save more – and start saving sooner. Today's young workers can expect to spend about 20, 30 or even more years in retirement, so saving is critical.

The sooner you start to save, the more time your savings will have to grow. Whether you are able to save \$5 or \$500, it is in your interest to start saving now.

Want to start planning your future now? There are some easy ways to do so. Take a look at *Your Social Security Statement*, which you will receive in the mail about two to three months before your birthday.

Along with your annual statement, workers between the ages of 25 and 35 will receive a helpful insert that provides information about Social Security, savings and more items of interest to young workers.

Want something more interactive? Visit Social Security's online *Retirement Estimator* at www.socialsecurity.gov/estimator which allows you to try out different retirement scenarios based on your personal earnings record.

You can also go to the website www.mymoney.gov for information on getting credit, paying for education, buying a home, creating a budget, starting a business, as well as financial calculators and planning tools.

Do not forget that Social Security coverage is not just for retirement, but also for disability and survivor benefits in the event that you are unable to work, or you leave behind a family that depends on your income when you die. You can read more about retirement, disability and survivors benefits at the website www.socialsecurity.gov.

Bernard O'Nan is the district manager at the Ashland Social



Betty Lindon, left, accepts her award from Personnel Administrator Linda May, right.

Lindon March Employee of the Month at EKCC

Ms. Betty Lindon was awarded the Employee of the Month Award for March at Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex.

Ms. Lindon, who began her career at EKCC in 2003 as a Clerk III, was promoted to Human Resources Specialist II in the Personnel Department in 2005.

"Betty takes the challenging

workload in her department with a positive and professional attitude," said Warden John Motley.

"Betty is always kind and helpful and assists staff with personnel questions and concerns," said Personnel Administrator Linda May, "and is a deserving recipient of the Employee of the Month Award."

Congratulations on a job well done.

Security office. A representative from the Ashland office visits West Liberty every first and third non-holiday Monday at the Community Center starting at 8:30 a.m. The Ashland office can be reached at 606-324-0516.

— **NEEDED** —
Someone to do
housecleaning
Call **743-4677**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The 2nd reading of the Morgan County Fiscal Court proposed budget ordinance for Fiscal Year 2009-2010 is scheduled to be held at the courthouse on **Monday, May 18, 2009** at **9:30AM**.

BUDGET SUMMARY

AN ORDINANCE relating to the Annual Budget and Appropriations.

Be it ordained by the Morgan County Fiscal Court of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was tentatively approved by the fiscal court on the 13 day of April, 2009, and approved as to form and classification by the State Local Finance Officer on Monday, April 27, 2009.

SECTION ONE. The following budget is adopted for the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 and the amounts stated are appropriated for the purposes indicated.

General Fund		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	616,912.00
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	125,200.00
5200	GENERAL HEALTH AND SANITATION	101,900.00
5400	RECREATION AND CULTURE	30,806.00
7500	BORROWED MONEY	0.00
7700	LEASES	364,300.00
8000	CAPITAL PROJECTS	7,500.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	30,000.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	177.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	275,500.00
	Total General Fund	1,552,295.00
Road Fund		
6100	ROADS	569,050.00
7700	LEASES	361,126.00
8000	CAPITAL PROJECTS	0.00
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	43,000.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	17,958.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	174,500.00
9500	DISTRIBUTIONS TO OTHER GOVT AGENCIES	31,000.00
	Total Road Fund	1,196,834.00
Jail Fund		
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	521,910.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
9400	FRINGE BENEFITS- EMPLOYERS SHARE	27,100.00
	Total Jail Fund	549,010.00
Local Government Economic Assistance Fund		
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
	Total L.G.E.A. Fund	0.00
Forest Fire Protection Fund		
5100	PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	3,520.00
	Total Forest Fire Fund	3,520.00
Special Projects Fund		
5000	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	215.87
5200	GENERAL HEALTH AND SANITATION	41,725.35
8000	CAPITAL PROJECTS	173,968.29
9100	GENERAL SERVICES	9,000.00
9200	CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS	0.00
	Total Special Proj. Fund	224,909.51

SECTION TWO. This ordinance shall be published in a local newspaper by title and summary within thirty (30) days following adoption.

SECTION THREE. This ordinance shall become effective upon passage and publication.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

All interested persons and organizations in the County are hereby notified that a copy of the County's adopted budget in full is available for public inspection at the office of the County Judge/Executive during normal business hours.

C-5-7-1T

**Three Family
Yard Sale**
**Fri. & Sat.
May 8-9**
**Located at
704 Broadway
Street**

*Sale items include
men's women's and
children's name brand
clothing of all sizes,
area rugs, pictures,
push mower, chain saw,
wheel barrow, toys, lots
more too numerous to
mention.*

C-5-7-1TPD

**YARD
SALE**
**At The Home Of
LARRY
BLEVINS**

**On Ky. 519
Saturday, May 9**
Girls name brand clothing,
new 3x4 lawn mower trailer,
like new truck tool box,
kerosene heater, new door
and storm door, tools, play
pen and many more items.

C-5-7-1T PD.

Fannin's Vegetables

VEGETABLE PLANTS FOR SALE:

Tomatoes, peppers, cucumbers,
cabbage, zucchini and others.

NOW READY! Call:

743-3343 Or 477-9692

To Leave Message
For Return Call



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C-5-7-1T

YARD SALE

For first graders
at West Liberty
Elem. School to
raise money for a
field trip to the
Cincinnati Zoo!

WHEN
Saturday, May 9

WHERE
Outside WLES
(inside if rain)

TIME
8 a.m.-2 p.m.

C-5-7-1TPD

Pomp/Cox Reunion

**scheduled May 23
Has been cancelled
due to illness.**

**There are no further
plans for rescheduling
the event for 2009.**

C-5-7-1T PD.

COMMUNITY

BULLETIN

BOARD

String Along Quilt

Guild Quilt Show

set Saturday, May 9

The fourth annual String Along Quilt Guild Quilt Show is just weeks away! It's time to be thinking about your entries. If you have a favorite quilt, recently finished or one that has been passed down for generations, you're welcome to enter it in this quilt show. **All entries must be pre-registered.** The deadline for entering quilts is Tuesday, May 5.

The show will be Saturday, May 9, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., at the Morgan County Community Center gymnasium. The event will also include door prizes, Stack and Whack, Chicken Scratch, hand quilting and piecing demonstrations, and a quilt raffle. There is no admission charge, the public is cordially invited to attend.

For additional information or to pre-register your quilts, contact Eleanor Holbrook, 743-4135, Vanessa Litton, 743-3026, or Sue Kinner, 743-3924, quilt show co-chairmen.

Hager Phipps

Cemetery Notice

For those who have loved ones buried in the Hager Phipps Cemetery, please send donations for the upkeep and mowing of your loved ones graves. Please send to Allen Fallen, P.O. Box 4, Cannel City, Ky. 41408. C-4-23-6t

Benefit set at Old 519

Church Saturday, May 9

There will be a benefit on Saturday, May 9, at Old 519 Church. There will be gospel singing by Bro. Benny Wright, Heavenly Bound, and Glory To God. An auction, and dinner will also be a part of the activities. All proceeds will be used to help pay funeral expenses of Mrs. Gibson. Everyone is welcome to come. Watch for signs. C-4-23-3t

Attention all

cancer survivors

Attention! Once again it's time for Relay For Life and if you're a cancer survivor please contact Rhonda at (606) 743-9003 and leave your name, address, phone number, if no answer. Join the walk for cancer for a cure. C-4-23-3t

South Fork Cemetery

Notice

It's mowing time again and donations are needed for mowing and upkeep expenses of the South Fork Cemetery, at Malone. Anyone wishing to contribute to this may send to Lena Litteral, 26 Steele Branch Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472

Flatwoods Cemetery

notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Flatwoods Cemetery. We had heavy expenses this past winter due to the ice storm. Mail donations to Anna Gunnell, 3710 Hwy. 705, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-23-6t

Volunteers needed!

Volunteers are needed for the Morgan County History Museum. We need volunteers that can work a few hours a week at the museum. Days needed are Tuesday and Friday. We are open from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Any help will be appreciated. C-1-31-tf

Coffey-Sheets

Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for mowing and upkeep of the Coffey-Sheets Cemetery. Anyone wishing to make a donation may send to Janis Sheets, P.O. Box 243, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-16-6t

McClain Cemetery

Notice

Donations for the mowing and upkeep of the McClain Cemetery are needed. Anyone wishing to make a donation please send to: Larry McClain, 140 Henry Street, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-16-6t

Crase Cemetery notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Crase Cemetery on Wheelrim. Please send all donations, large or small, to Doug Davis, 2565 Wheelrim Road, Hazel Green, Ky. 41332. All donations are very much appreciated. C-4-30-5t

Fannin Cemetery Notice

Church services will be held at the Fannin Cemetery on the 4th Saturday in May, which will be May 23rd, at 11 a.m. A potluck dinner will follow the church service at Sulphur Springs Church lunchroom. Please bring a covered dish. Donations are needed at this time for mowing and upkeep of the cemetery. The cost each time for mowing will be \$115. The purchasing of flowers to put on monuments or shepherd hooks are recommended to make mowing easier. Please send donations to Terry Fannin, 8985 Hwy. 172, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. Contact Terry Fannin at (606) 522-3543 (daytime) or (606) 522-3037 (evening) with all questions, comments or concerns regarding the cemetery. C-4-16-6t

Morris Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Morris Cemetery, located at Caney. Please send donations to Tracey Hatton, Treasurer, 129 Morris Cemetery Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-2-8t

Donations needed

for Dawson Cemetery

Anyone with loved ones buried at the Dawson Cemetery on Lacy Creek can send donations to Joyce LeMaster, 2083 Lacy Creek Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-9-8t

Henry Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Henry Cemetery, located at Index. Please send to Dearn Dykes, Treasurer, 334 S. Howard Street, Sabina, Ohio 45169. C-3-27-tf

Gateway Community

Action meeting May 14

Gateway Community Action Agency will hold its bi-monthly board meeting on Thursday, May 14. The meeting will be held in Frenchburg at the Menifee County Community Building and will begin at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

ACT test set May 14 at

MSU at West Liberty

MSU at West Liberty Academic Center will be giving the ACT residual test on May 14, at 8:30 a.m. at the regional campus in West Liberty. The cost of the test is \$50. Anyone wanting to take the test needs to bring the following items with them: 1. payment for the test; 2. A photo i.d., such as driver's license; 3. A scientific calculator, which can be used in taking the test. Results from the test will be available that afternoon. To register, please call the MSU at West Liberty Academic Center at (606) 743-1500. C-4-30-2t

Deborde Cemetery

Notice

Dues for the upkeep and mowing of the Deborde Cemetery, at Malone, may be send to Junior Holliday, P.O. Box 44, Malone, Ky. 41451; phone (606) 743-4983. C-4-30-5t

Reunion time for

Ezel School Alumni

Saturday, May 23, is the day set aside for Ezel School alumni reunion. The event will be held at Ezel Elementary School. Doors open at 4 p.m. All former students, graduates and non-graduates. Any class or classes that want to celebrate a special year can do so. Potluck dinner served after a short program and parade of classes (about 6 p.m.) Dinnerware furnished. You may take pictures at the time of the parade of classes. Please come join us for an evening of good food and fellowship. You may see someone you haven't met for years. Call: (606) 725-5622 for information. C-4-30-4t

Boney Haney

Cemetery notice

Mowing season is here and donations are needed to help with the upkeep of the Boney Haney Cemetery. Anyone wishing to make a donation may send to Ralph Byrd, 4232 Hwy. 191, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-30-5t

Attention All EMT-Bs

If you are an EMT-B interested in becoming a paramedic, Morgan Emergency Training will be hosting an information meeting on May 7 at 7 p.m., at the MSU Regional Enterprise Building, Room 319. We will attempt to answer any questions concerning future changes planned for paramedic training and schedule entrance exams for our next course, to start June 18, 2009. For more information or to reserve your spot contact course coordinator, Rodney K. Cantrell, (606) 743-3497/rodcan@mrtc.com. C-4-30-2t

Mother's Day banquet set

at Ezel Presbyterian Ch.

Ezel Presbyterian Church will host their annual Mother's Day banquet on Friday, May 8, at 6:30 p.m., in the church fellowship hall. Accomplished writer and columnist, Paul Prather, will be guest speaker. The church welcomes both men and women to come enjoy dinner and a fun evening. C-4-30-2t

Cottle Cemetery notice

Contributions for mowing and upkeep of the Cottle Cemetery are needed. Please send to Margaret Cottle, 356 Jones Creek Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. C-4-30-5t

Crase Cemetery notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Crase Cemetery on Wheelrim. Please send all donations, large or small, to Doug Davis, 2565 Wheelrim Road, Hazel Green, Ky. 41332. All donations are very much appreciated. C-4-30-5t

Sargent family reunion

slated Saturday, July 4

The Sargent family reunion will be Saturday, July 4, at 11 a.m., at Tredway Memorial Park, in West Liberty. Please bring food and drinks. Everyone welcome. C-4-30-9t

Benefit set at Old 519

Church Saturday, May 9

There will be a benefit on Saturday, May 9, at Old 519 Church, beginning at 10 a.m. There will be gospel singing by Bro. Benny Wright, Heavenly Bound, and Glory To God. An auction and dinner will also be a part of the activities. All proceeds will be used to help pay funeral expenses of Elizabeth Gibson. Everyone is welcome to come. Watch for signs. C-5-7-1t

Farmers Market

meeting May 13th

The Farmers Market will meet Wednesday, May 13, at 6 p.m., at Morgan County Extension Office. All farmers planning to participate in the WIC program must attend this meeting to receive the GAP training. For additional information, contact Wendell Williams, 743-3208. C-5-7-1t

Pomp/Cox reunion

cancelled this year

The Pomp/Cox reunion, scheduled for May 23, has been cancelled due to illness. There are no further plans for rescheduling the event for 2009. C-5-7-2t

Special service set at

West Liberty Ch. of God

On Friday, May 8, beginning at 7 p.m., there will be a service for ladies. Guest speaker for the event will be Sharon Tharp. The title of the program she will be speaking on is "Out Of The Box". Refreshments will be served following the program. Ladies, please join us and hear what comes "Out Of The Box". For additional information phone 743-2632.

Caskey Cemetery

notice

It's time to start mowing and weedeating the Caskey cemetery. My thanks to those that send donations for the upkeep. Helen Weddington 5 Lucy Road West Liberty, Ky. 41472-8034 Phone 743-4143 C-5-7-4t

Revival services at Ezel

1st Ch. of God May 11-15

Ezel First Church of God will have revival services beginning Monday, May 11, through May 15th. There will be different ministers and special singing each night. Services will begin at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited by the pastor, Bro. Jesse Dennis, and congregation.

Jubilee Road to sing at

Sandfield Ch. May 16

Jubilee Road will be the featured singers at the monthly singing at Sandfield Community Church, on Saturday, May 16, beginning at 7 p.m. The pastor, Bro. Mike Brooks, and congregation invite everyone to attend. C-5-7-2t

Singing slated May 23 at

Daysboro Ch. of Christ

Daysboro Church of Christ, at Daysboro, will host a gospel singing, featuring the Greg Beasley Singers, on Saturday, May 23, beginning at 5:30 p.m. A potluck meal will be served following the singing. The pastor, Bro. David Hinton, and congregation extend an invitation to everyone to attend. C-5-7-3t

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Extension Service to

host corn planting

demo on Tuesday

With rising input costs, there is greater interest in growing corn, especially for silage purposes to feed cattle. The purpose of this meeting will be to cover management practices needed for a successful crop including hybrid selection, seeding rates, weed control, costs and harvesting methods. Also to be demonstrated is the 2 row no-til corn planter that is available to Morgan Co. Farmers free of charge from the Extension Service. Dr. Chad Lee, UK Grain Specialist, will be the featured speaker.

Weather permitting—the meeting will be held at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, May 12, at the Henry and Jennifer Adkins farm located at Gordon Ford off Steele Branch Road. A free cookout meal will be served.

To reserve the planter or for more information or directions, contact Sarah Fannin, County Extension Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources at 743-3292.

Circuit Clerk's Office

to be open May 16th

Due to Memorial weekend being on the fourth weekend in May, the Circuit Court Clerk's Office will be open the third Saturday, May 16, from 8 a.m. to noon, for drivers license renewals. C-5-7-2t

Fellowship dinner

at Tom's Branch

There will be a fellowship dinner at Tom's Branch Community Church on Saturday, May 16, beginning at 5 p.m., followed by church service and special singing by Two For One (Auburn and Carol Haddix, from Jackson, starting at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome by Pastor Jeff Montgomery, and congregation. The church is located on Hwy. 772. C-5-7-2t

Morgan Co. Retired

Teachers meeting set

The Morgan County Retired Teachers will meet Tuesday, May 12, at Old Mill Park, at 3 p.m. This meeting will feature a "plant trade". Visitors are welcome.

Ezel Cemetery notice

Donations are much needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Ezel Cemetery. Anyone with family members buried there may send donations to Ezel Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 126, Ezel, Ky. 41425. C-5-7-5t

Free Smoking Cessation

classes being offered

FREE Smoking Cessation classes starting Thursday, May 7, at 4:30 p.m., at the Morgan County ARH Hospital in the Administrative Conference Room on the second floor. Classes will continue every Thursday for 12 consecutive weeks. C-5-7-tf

Custom Made to appear

at Jenny's Music Barn

Bluegrass band, Custom Made, will be at Jenny's Music Barn, at Farmers, on Friday, May 8, beginning at 8 p.m. For additional information phone (606) 784-9938.

St. Claire Diabetes

Support Group to meet

The St. Claire Regional Diabetes Support Group will meet Tuesday, May 12, at 6 p.m. in the St. Claire Regional Medical Center cafeteria (Meeting Room D on second floor). Anyone with diabetes or parents/family/caregivers of persons with diabetes is welcome. The topic will be What Are These Blood Sugar Numbers Telling Me? The speaker will be Sherry Adkins, RN, CDE, and Jean Jones, RD, CDE.

DO YOU REMEMBER?



Do you remember when John B. May owned and operated the General Store at Woodsbent in Morgan County?? As I traveled that way one Sunday I saw this well preserved building near the road and stopped to get this photo. I wondered how many items had crossed the counter, how many credits were offered to farmers and traders who would come in and pay their debt at the end of the year, how many struggled all year just to "get even" and have a little left over for Christmas, just a doll for the little girl, a pop gun for the lad, maybe a pencil box for the school child, dress material for the lady, and maybe a pretty handkerchief for the lady of the house to take to church—little things that meant so much to the family. It was love that made the home. Oh, by the way, Mrs. Zona May operated the post office, which was in operation from 1922 until 1979! Oh! for the memories! JBS



Honored at MSU

Students enrolled in various programs within Morehead State University's College of Education were honored for scholastic excellence during a recent honors reception. Among the students recognized was Cindy Wells of West Liberty, who was presented with the Outstanding Health Promotion Student Award. From left are: Provost Karla Hughes; Dr. Cathy Gunn, dean of the college; Wells, and MSU President Wayne D. Andrews.

Photographic Society

meeting is set May 11

The Morgan County Photographic Society a.k.a. Shutter Bugs will hold its monthly meeting 6 p.m. Monday, May 11, at MSU at West Liberty in room 219. Anyone interested in photography is invited to attend. Dean and Karen Hill will be attending. Dean will be doing a presentation on perspective. He asks that everyone bring a disk with two pictures you have taken using the rule of thirds. We will also be discussing several other issues at the meeting. We hope you can join us.

Bentley Cemetery

notice

Anyone with loved ones buried in the Bentley Cemetery need to help with the mowing and upkeep. Please send donations to Bernice Robinson, 4490 Hwy. 844, Cannel City, Ky. 41408; phone 743-4004. C-5-7-4t

Ky. 1261 in Wolfe

County to be closed

for bridge repairs

JACKSON, Ky. – Beginning Monday, May 4, and continuing for seven days, Ky. 1261 in Wolfe County will be closed for bridge repairs.

The closure is at the Stillwater Creek crossing at milepoint 7.7, near the route's intersection with Ky. 1812 at Landsaw.

During the week-long closure, the bridge's deck will be repaired. Inclement weather during this period will force the closure to be extended as required to complete the work.

No marked detour will be posted, but motorists can use Ky. 15 and Ky. 1812 as alternate routes.



A mother asked, "How can a God of love allow His children to suffer?"

"Do you remember," I asked, "when the doctor pulled a fishhook from your hand?"

"I do," she said, "for it hurt terribly."

"Wasn't your father there?" I asked. "He allowed it, even though he loved you."

"Are you saying," she wondered, "that because God loves me, He allows me to hurt?"

"Yes," I said. "The Bible says, 'We know that all things work together for good.' Not all things are good, but God makes all things work together for our good."

Suffering? Don't ask, "WHEN will I get out of this?" but "WHAT will I get out of this?"

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 East Main Street, Jackson, KY. Worship service 10:00 am Saturday; Bible study 6:30 pm Wednesday.

Williams Creek-Elkfork Community Church, Rt. 3, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 522-4111 or 522-4591. Rev. Herbert Wright, pastor. Sunday radio service 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Brushy Fork Church, Caney, Ky. Services fourth Saturday at 1:00 pm and fourth Sunday at 10:00 am each month. Hobert Dunn, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of God, 568 Glenn Ave., West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 522-4111 or 522-4591. Rev. Herbert Wright, pastor. Sunday radio service 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Hazel Green Christian Church, P.O. Box 66, Hazel Green, KY 41332. Bro. David Fields, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm.

Catholic Church of the Good Shepherd, 525 Main St., Campton, KY. Phone 668-3731. Sunday Mass 12:30 pm; Wednesday evening 5:30 pm.

Faith Baptist Church, Caney, KY 41402, phone 743-4966; parsonage phone 768-2415. Bro. Mick Harden, pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday disciples group training service 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday night mission friends, GA's, acten's RA's, adult Bible study 6:00 pm.

Old Grassy Christian Church, US-460, Mize, KY 41352. Carl Roller, pastor. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Martha Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 3 miles up KY-589 off KY-172. Services second weekend each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Roger Ball, pastor.

Redeemed Old Regular Baptist Church, Caney, KY. Elder Roy Collett, pastor. Services third week-end of each month. Saturday 6:30 pm. Sunday 9:30 am.

Wells Chapel Church Of God, Stacy Fork, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

Wells Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Joe Gilliam, pastor. Ruley Wagoner, assistant pastor.

Union Enterprise Church, Williams Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am to 10:30 am every Sunday morning. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. First Saturday and Sunday each month. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Trivis Ison, pastor. welcomes everyone.

Walnut Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening prayer service 7:00 pm. Scott Litton, pastor. Eddie Keeton, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook First Baptist Church, phone 738-6320. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm.

Mize Community Church, 1 mile west of Mize, KY. John Oldfield Jr., pastor. 1176 Hwy 946, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 606-725-5622. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Old Time Religion Church, 1957 Flat-Mary Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Douglas Dunn, pastor, phone 668-9168.

Daysboro Church Of Christ, Daysboro, KY. phone 743-3906. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. David Hinton, pastor

Watson Enterprise Baptist Church, HC 75, Sandy Hook, KY. Larry Dale Ison, pastor. Mike Gilliam, assistant pastor. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Campton Church Of Christ, Rt. 35, Box 405, Campton, KY 41301, phone 668-6531.

Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 East Main Street, Jackson, KY. 10:00 am Saturday worship. 6:00 pm Tuesday Bible study. Phone (606) 295-3512.

Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Congregation invites all. Everyone welcome.

Rocky Branch Full Gospel Church Of God, 3 miles north of Campton on KY-746. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil Lykins, pastor, phone 668-3643.

Torment Church Of God, 1432 N KY-11, Zachariah, KY. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday morning, 11:00 am. Sunday evening, 6:30 pm. Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 pm. Rev. Marvin Hobbs, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Bethany Baptist Church, War Creek, KY. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday. Every third Saturday of each month Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Rick Pelfrey, pastor.

Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY-976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, 163 Pine Acres Drive just off Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday Mass 9:00 am. Father Frank Brawner pastor. Phone 743-3266 office; 743-4817 rectory.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Sunday 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Helechawa Community Church, located on KY-191, Thursday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome to come and worship the Lord.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY. KY-172. Third week-end of each month and all odd week-end Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pekin Pentecostal Church, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255 Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteele, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Cridler, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 5:00 pm. Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm; pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Pastor Gary Conner. Parsonage phone: 668-3499

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 East, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Paul Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Murphy Fork Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday worship 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Thursday night 7:00 pm.

Haven Of Hope, 364 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday worship, 6:00 pm.

New Beginnings Church of God, off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning worship 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Thursday 7:00 pm. Pastor Ruford Abner

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Sandy Hook. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr. Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Dirl Fyffe, pastor emeritis. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. George Oney, pastor.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, West Liberty, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm. Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery, Assistant Pastor Woody Bowman.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

Hope Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Wednesday Bible Study prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Ronnie Mayse, pastor. Everyone welcome!

Hilltop Apostolic Church, KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

Victory Christian Center, Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road off KY-486. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

Sandfield Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

Bethany Community Church, Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Daniel Wendell, pastor. Phone 668-3703.

Broadway First Church Of God, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ, Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

Vision Baptist Church, Rogers, KY. KY-2818, KY-715. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Scott Rogers, interim pastor.

Lacy Creek Church Of Christ, 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor, 743-3801. Elder Lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hitepole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission, Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County. Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Pine Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Aaron Brooks, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Mandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Cortis Ison, pastor.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Bible trivia last Tuesday each month at 7:00 pm. Gospel singing fourth Friday at 7:00 pm. James Hinton, pastor, congregation well all. Phone 349-LORD.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Spring Branch Baptist Church, 100 Spring Branch Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Pastor Ron Lucas, 606-668-9229. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am. Sunday night service, 6:00 pm. Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

First Apostolic Church, Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday School 10:00 am; Sunday worship 3:30 pm; Wednesday night worship 7:00 p..

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7 Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road). Sandy Hook, KY. First Saturday evening each month at 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Primitive Baptist Church, KY-706. Pastor Hershell Wright and Charles T. Wright invite everyone to attend. Sunday School at 10:00 am. Sunday worship service at 11:00 am. Wednesday night fellowship at 7:00 pm.

Campton Christian Church, 312 Main St., Campton, KY 41301, phone 606-362-9277. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Tuesday Bible study, 6:30 pm; Minister: Will Cooper. Website: www.camptonchristianchurch.org

Hazel Green Baptist Mission, Hazal Green Academy Campus. Sundays at 5:00 pm. Pastor: Lewis Faulkenberry. 606-662-6907 *Showing God's Love by Loving God's People*.

Saint John Baptist, Old KY 15, Pine Ridge, KY. Louise Lee Winchup Chapel. Sunday morning prayer 9:00 am; Holy Communion third Sunday. Wednesday evening prayer/Bible study 7:00 pm. Billy L. James, Senior Warden. 606-668-9030. Everyone welcome.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
John 21:1-25	Romans 12:1-21	Romans 13:1-14	Romans 14:1-23	Psalms 33	Deuteronomy 1:1-18	Deuteronomy 24:5-22

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Braden Hammonds celebrates fourth birthday

Braden Hammonds celebrated his fourth birthday on April 11th at his home with lots of family and friends. His party theme was Bat Man. Braden is the son of Nick and Benita Hammonds, of Morehead. Grandparents are Russell and Donna Burgett, of West Liberty, and Billy and Sheila Wilson, of Sandy Hook. He has a big sister, Emily.

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Just Take My Heart, by Mary Higgins Clark
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The Host, by Stephanie Meyer
The Associate, by John Grisham
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The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society, by Mary Shaffer
Mr. and Miss Anonymous, by Fern Michaels
The 8th Confession, by James Patterson
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Non-Fiction

Outliers, by Malcolm Gladwell
A Bold Fresh Piece of Humanity, by Bill O'Reilly
The Yankee Years, by Joe Torre
You can check the availability of a book by visiting www.youseemore.com/mcpl.
• The Teen Book Club will meet again 12:30 p.m. Saturday, May 16. The group will be discussing Diary of a Wimpy Kid Rodrick Rules. Each member of the club will receive a free copy of the book. If you would like to join, stop by the library and get a copy of the book.
• The library will be hosting a Mother-Daughter Tea Party 12-2 p.m. Saturday, May 9. There will be refreshments, activities, gifts and free pictures of mothers with their daughters.

• The library will be hosting its first ever Game Night! Kids and adults of all ages are invited to attend on two different nights: 4-7 p.m. Thursday, May 7 and Thursday, May 14. There will be a wide variety of games to be played including many card games, board games and Playstation 2 games. Chips, popcorn and drinks will be served. Come out and join the fun.

• The theme of this year's summer reading program is Be Creative at Your Library. The program will start on June 9 and run through July 28. Children ages 4-12 will meet at 11:30 a.m., and teens ages 13-17 will meet at 1:30 p.m.

Lacys of Wrigley new members of Angus Association

Chris and Stephanie Lacy of Wrigley are new members of the American Angus Association®, reports Bryce Schumann, CEO of the national breed registry organization in Saint Joseph, Missouri.
The American Angus Association, with nearly 33,000 active adult and junior members, is the largest beef cattle registry Association in the world. Its computerized records include detailed information on nearly 16 million registered Angus.
Schumann also announced that the Lacys' sons, W. Michael Lacy and Stephen A. Lacy, are new junior member of the American Angus Association®.
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Tri-County ASAP board meeting in Ashland May 21

The Tri-County Kentucky Agency for Substance Abuse Policy (KY-ASAP) Local Board will host a Prescription Medication Diversion and Abuse Summit 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Thursday, May 21, at the King's Daughters Medical Center Health Education Center in Ashland.
The Health Education Center is located in the lower level of King's Daughters Lexington Avenue parking facility. The featured speakers for the summit include Detective Jon Marshall, a detective for the Kentucky State Police assigned to the Drug Enforcement/Special Investigations branch.
Dr. Burns M. Brady, FASAM, will also be a keynote speaker for the event. Dr. Brady is a board-certified family physician and board-certified addictionologist. He recently retired as the medical director of the Kentucky Physicians Health Foundation-Impaired Physicians Program.
Law enforcement, elected officials, drug court personnel, school personnel, substance abuse prevention specialists, addiction treatment counselors, social service personnel, businesses and concerned citizens are welcome to attend. Lunch will be provided. To register, contact Board Coordinator Brooke Elswick by calling 329-8588, ext. 4091, or by e-mail at Brook.Elswick@pathways-ky.org.

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4. Contestant must never have been married.
5. The winning contestant must be willing to represent Licking Valley RECC at various functions throughout the year. She will be expected to work with the cooperative personnel. Her main goal will be to promote goodwill among the members of Licking Valley RECC and encourage higher education in the LVRECC service area.
6. Scholarship funds will be paid to an accredited educational training institution beyond the high school level. No money will be paid directly to the recipient. Fund request shall be made within two years.
7. Contestants will be judged on the following: Beauty 50%, Poise and Grace 25%, and Speech 25%.
8. Contestants will make two appearances on stage at the Annual Membership Meeting and will be



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 10. Contestants must not be a member of the immediate family of an employee, director or manager. Miss Licking Valley RECC Pageant is also closed to previous first place winners and cooperative employees.
 11. The last day to enter the Miss Licking Valley RECC Pageant is Friday, May 15, 2009. The Pageant will be held on Tuesday, May 29, 2009.
- For more information, call Gina Jenkins, 743-3179, or 1-800-596-6530, or e-mail gjenkins@lvrecc.com**

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN _____	
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9. A political unit ruled by a sovereign
10. The last point is less incessant
12. Place compensatory bets
13. Affirmative motion has the don reeling
14. Set to music, but toned differently
15. Obscure, if lurid imagination, in part
17. Obliquely enquire of you, we hear
19. Translator of encrypted forms, like a crossword puzzler?
21. Inclined to love, in a Continental sort of way
23. African capital has air of small company about it
24. Totally fail to comprehend, so annihilate!

CLUES DOWN

1. An indefinitely large number
2. Obstructed the sprite and his naughty deed!
3. Concise description
4. The moose
5. Lawfully executed? Quite the reverse!
6. Did not not do, but reversed the doing!
7. Some mighty number admitted to the French department
11. In short, completely satisfied
14. Born anew
15. Evading, or perhaps just avoiding
16. Graduate may register as absent
17. Fear may ring a bell...
18. ...but do this if no bell is apparent!
20. Commander-in-chief at odds with those prickly types
22. Place for a certain group

SATURDAY EVENING											May 9		
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	PGA Tour Golf		Fortune	Cash	Law & Order: SVU		Southland		Law & Order		News	SNL	
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	CSI: Crime Son		Harper's Island		48 Hours Mystery		News		
ABC 6	ABC	News	Ent. Tonight		NBA Basketball: East Semifinal - Cavaliers at Hawks						News	WWE	
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk	Louis-	Red	Ky Life	Ken-	My Dear Secretary			Time		Austin City Limits		
NBC 8	PGA Tour Golf		Storms	Paid	Law & Order: SVU		Southland		Law & Order		News	SNL	
WGN 9	Boston Legal		MLB Baseball: Texas Rangers at Chicago White Sox						WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs	
FOX 11	Baseball	Fam	NASCAR Racing: Sprint Cup - Southern 500								News	WWE	
CBS 12	News	CBS	King	Griffith	CSI: Crime Son		Harper's Island		48 Hours Mystery		WYMT	Paid	
TBS 13	King	King	*** Ocean's Eleven (2001)				*** Catch Me if You Can (2002)						
ENC 14	Back to the Future Part III				** Next Friday (2000)		Nutty Professor II: The Klumps				Pirates		
FAM 15	*** The Family Man (2000)				** Notting Hill (1999)								Under Tuscan
LIFE 16	True Confess		** Odd Girl Out (2005)			*½ Because I Said So (2007)				Because I Said			
A&E 17	The Andromeda Strain (2008)				The Andromeda Strain (2008)				The Sopranos		The Sopranos		
SHOW 19	*** Rescue Dawn (2006) Cont'd			The Tudors			The Nanny Diaries		** Runaway Bride (1999)				
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Jonas	Wizards	Adventures of Sharkboy		Phineas	Wizards	Mon-		
MAX 21	** BASEketball (1998)			*** Knocked Up (2007)				*** The Incredible Hulk (2008)					
HBO 22	The Golden Compass			** Fred Claus (2007)				Boxing: Chad Dawson vs. Antonio Tarver					
AMC 24	*** Stripes (1981) Cont'd			*½ Catwoman (2004)				*** Batman Begins (2005)					
USA 25	Law & Order: SVU		*** Liar Liar (1997)			***½ Bruce Almighty (2003)				Law Order: CI			
DSC 26	Man vs. Wild		Out of the Wild		Out of the Wild		Out of the Wild		Out of the Wild		Out of the Wild		
ESPN 27	NBA Basketball			Boxing: Bowe vs. Holyfield II			Baseball Tonight		TBA		To Be Announced		
TNT 32	*** Men in Black II (2002)			*** Kill Bill: Vol. 1 (2003)			*** Kill Bill: Vol. 2 (2004)						
SCI 33	Death Tunnel		*½ See No Evil (2006)				*** The Descent (2005)				Lake Dead		

SUNDAY EVENING											May 10	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	PGA Tour Golf		Dateline NBC		The Celebrity Apprentice						News	Storms
CBS 4	News	Maga-	60 Minutes		Amazing Race		Cold Case		The Unit		News	Dan
ABC 6	ABC	News	Home Videos		Extreme-Home		Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News	Jim
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Keep	Summer	Time-	May	Masterpiece Mystery!			Currier	America	Book-
NBC 8	PGA Tour Golf		Dateline NBC		The Celebrity Apprentice						News	Edition
WGN 9	ALF	ALF	WKRP	WKRP	Newhart	Newhart	Honey-	Honey-	News	Replay	Bewitch	Bewitch
FOX 11	Shak-	Fam	Sit	Amer	Simp-	King-Hill	Fam	Amer	News	Paid	Motor	
CBS 12	WYMT	CBS	60 Minutes		Amazing Race		Cold Case		The Unit		News	Paid
TBS 13	★ Without a Paddle (2004)				Without a Paddle: Nature's Calling				★ My Cousin Vinny (1992)			
ENC 14	City Str	Are We Done Yet?			The Road Warrior			Resident Evil: Extinction			Childs3	
FAM 15	Under Tuscan	★★★ The Sound of Music (1965)				Home Videos						
LIFE 16	Prime		Mom, Dad and Her (2008)				★½ Because I Said So (2007)				Grey's Anatomy	
A&E 17	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	
SHOW 19	★★★ Wonder Boys (2000)		Night of the White Pants		The Tudors		Ullman	Ullman	The Tudors			
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Mon-	Sonny	Beethoven's 2nd		Wizards	Wizards	Mon-	
MAX 21	Defi	Over Her Dead Body			★★★ The Incredible Hulk (2008)			★★½ Shoot to Kill (1988)				
HBO 22	★★ Fred Claus (2007)				No. 1 Ladies'			The Alzheimer's Project		No. 1 Ladies'	Voices	
AMC 24	Heat	★★★ Carlito's Way (1993)				Breaking Bad			Breaking Bad			
USA 25	House	House		House	House	Law Order: CI		In Plain Sight		Law & Order: SVU		
DSC 26	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter	Baseball Tonight			MLB Baseball: Tampa Bay Rays at Boston Red Sox							
TNT 32	★★ Blade: Trinity (2004)		Pre-	NBA Basketball: Conf. Semifinal			Inside the NBA			Spider-		
SCI 33	Eureka	★★★ The Descent (2005)			★ BloodRayne (2005)			BloodRayne 2				

MONDAY EVENING												May 11	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
NBC 3	News 	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Deal or No Deal		Medium 		Medium 		News 	Tonight	
CBS 4	News 	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Big	Mother	Two	Rules	CSI: Miami 		News 	Late	
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra 		Dancing With the Stars		Surviv-	Castle 		News	Night-	
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Kentucky Tonight		American Experience 			Frontline 		BBC	
NBC 8	News 	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Deal or No Deal		Medium 		Medium 		News 	Tonight	
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		Home Videos		Around-World		WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs	
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House 		24 		News 		Simp-	Fam	
CBS 12	News	CBS	Issues	King	Big	Mother	Two	Rules	CSI: Miami 		News	Late	
TBS 13	Ray	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Name	Name	Seinfeld	Sex &	
ENC 14	Extinc-	Revenge of the Nerds II			★★★½ The Shawshank Redemption (1994) 					★★★ Apocalypso (2006) 			
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	Greek 		★★★ Mean Girls (2004) 				The 700 Club 		
LIFE 16	Still	Still	Mother	Mother	Will	Will	Intimate Stranger (2006) 				Will	Will	
A&E 17	Cold Case Files 	CSI: Miami 			Intervention 		Intervention 		Para-	Para-	Para-	Para-	
SHOW 19	Love and Other Disasters			Nursery University			Ullman	Weeds	The Tudors 		The Tudors 		
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Kim Possible			Wizards	Wizards	Mon-	Suite	Raven	
MAX 21	★★½ The Brave One (2007) 				½ Georgia Rule (2007) 				★★★ The Incredible Hulk (2008) 				
HBO 22	★★½ Waitress (2007) 		Alzhei-		Alzheimer's		Journey-Center of Earth				Real Time	No 1	
AMC 24	★★★★ Driving Miss Daisy (1989) 					★★★ The Rookie (2002)					Rudy		
USA 25	NCIS 			NCIS 		NCIS 		WWE Monday Night Raw 		In Plain Sight 			
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	MythBusters		MythBusters		Weaponizers		Doing Da Vinci		MythBusters 		
ESPN 27	SportsCenter 			MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets 					Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter 		
TNT 32	Bones 					NBA Basketball: Conf. Semifinal 					NBA Basketball: Conf. Semifinal 		
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1 					Star Trek Gen. 					Star Trek Gen. 		

TUESDAY EVENING											May 12	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News 	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	The Biggest Loser 						News 	Tonight
CBS 4	News 	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS 		The Mentalist 		Without a Trace 		News 	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra 	Jim	Jim	Dancing-Stars		Cupid 		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Nova		Secrets-Dead		Globe Trekker 		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News 	NBC	Inside	Holly-	The Biggest Loser 						News 	Tonight
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos		*** Parenthood (1989) 				 		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	American Idol 		Fringe 		News 		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Paid	King	NCIS 		The Mentalist 		Without a Trace 		News	Late
TBS 13	Ray	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Office	My Boys	Office	Seinfeld
ENC 14	**½ Earth Girls Are Easy (1989) 				** She's All That (1999) 			**½ We Own the Night (2007) 			Cape-	
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	Home Videos		Home Videos		Home Videos		The 700 Club 	
LIFE 16	Still	Still	Reba 	Reba 	Will	Will	Homeless to Harvard: Liz Murray			Will	Will	
A&E 17	Cold Case Files 		CSI: Miami		The First 48 		The First 48 		The First 48 		Man-	Man-
SHOW 19	Who's Your Caddy?			**** There Will Be Blood (2007) 						The Tudors 		Ullman
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Suite	Mon-	** Pixel Perfect (2004)			Phineas	Wizards	Mon-	Suite	Raven
MAX 21	Mr. Woodcock			** Speed Racer (2008) 				Fantastic Four			Coed	
HBO 22	Alzheimer's		Alzheimer's		Alzheimer's			** Fred Claus (2007) 			Disaster	Treat-
AMC 24	*** The Rookie (2002) Cont'd				**½ Missing in Action (1984)				Missing in Action 2: The Beginning			
USA 25	NCIS 		NCIS 		House 		House 		House 		Law & Order: SVU	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Deadliest Catch 		Deadliest Catch		Deadliest Catch		Out of the Wild		Deadliest Catch	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		E:60		Poker		Poker		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Bones 		Law & Order		NBA Basketball: Conf. Semi. -- Teams TBA							
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1 		Star Trek: Ent.		Star Trek: Ent.		Star Trek: Ent.		ECW		Unrest (2006) 	

WEDNESDAY EVENING											May 13	
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News 	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order 		News 	Tonight
CBS 4	News 	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Rules	Chris-	Criminal Minds 		CSI: NY 		News 	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Extra 	Lost 		Lost 				News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer	Jubilee 			World War II: Behind Closed				BBC	Ky Life
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WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Home Videos	Coach	Coach		Becker	Becker	WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Lie to Me 		American Idol 		News 		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Ken-	King	Rules	Chris-	Criminal Minds 		CSI: NY 		News	Late
TBS 13	Ray	Friends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Payne	Sex &	Sex &
ENC 14	*** The Parent Trap (1998) 				**½ Point Break (1991) 				*** Gone Baby Gone (2007) 			
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	**½ The Little Rascals (1994) 				Home Videos			
LIFE 16	Still	Still	Reba 	Reba 	Will	Will	In God's Country (2007) 				Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files 	CSI: Miami 			Dog	Dog	Bounty Hunter	Dog		Exterm	Exterm	Exterm
SHOW 19	*** Rescue Dawn (2006) Cont'd				The Tudors 				*½ Halloween (2007)		Texas Chnsw	
DISN 20	Phineas	Suite	Suite	Mon-	** Quints (2000) 				Wizards	Wizards	Mon-	Suite
MAX 21	*½ Jumper (2008) 		*** Men of Honor (2000) 							*** The Incredible Hulk (2008) 		
HBO 22	Grey Gardens (2009) 		**½ Leatherheads (2008) 				Voices		No 1 Ladies' 			
AMC 24	*** Escape From Alcatraz (1979) 				***½ Dirty Harry (1971) 				*** Death Wish (1974) 			
USA 25	NCIS 		NCIS 		NCIS 		NCIS 		NCIS 		50 First Dates	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Time Warp		MythBusters 		Pitchmen		Time Warp	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter 		MLB Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Baseball		SportsCenter 	
TNT 32	Bones: 		Law & Order 		NBA Basketball: Conf. Semi. - Teams TBA				NBA Basketball: Conf. Sem			
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1 		Ghost Hunters 		Ghost Hunters 		Ghost Hunters 		Ghost Hunters 		Ghost Hunters 	

MANY KNIVES SHARPENED ON THIS STONE

By W. Lynn Nickell

The knife sharpening stone on the side of the Seasons Florist building attracts very little attention today. It has been filed away in the older generation's minds and thought of every now and then as we walk past it. I am sure the younger generation has no clue what that stone is or anything about its history. However, to my generation it is well known.

The stone is sandstone—having three deep grooves in it from years of use as a place to sharpen pocket knives. I can remember in the thirties and forties people stopping by the stone to sharpen their knives. This was in the days when most men carried a knife and wouldn't be without one. In fact, it was an essential tool. A knife, among other things, was a symbol of adulthood. Most men can remember their first knife and where they got it.

I got my first knife with a pair of boots! One of the boots had a holster on the side with a knife in it and a flap that snapped shut. It was an inexpensive knife but expensive enough to make you feel like you had grown up! If a child wore a pair of boots like those to school today he would be arrested by either the local police, homeland security, FBI and possibly the CIA!

Wearing a mackinaw, boots with a knife tucked into the side of one of the boots, a BB gun, and an aviator helmet cap was the epitome of cool in those days! As a boy grew up he moved up in the knife chain, going from the cheap toy knives to a Case or some other name brand.

There is an art to sharpening a knife. One of the best places to sharpen one was the stone pictured above. The stone is a part of the building built by Jim Sebastian in 1925. In the 1930's and 40's a pool room was in the north side of the Sebastian building where the stone is located. (The stone was about as close to the pool room as I was allowed in those days.)

Watching the experts, you learned the art of sharpening a knife. First you had to spit in the



The above stone was used to sharpen knives and the hand rail was used for assistance to the Rex Theater in the basement of the Sebastian building.



In the early 1950's a shelter for loafers and knife traders was built around the Doughboy monument on the courthouse lawn. Passers-by would wonder why the statue was on the roof of a building! After a few years it became a very controversial issue and was torn down by local citizens. At left, the late A.J. Hearld displaying his knife collection.

grove and stroke the blade one side and then the other a certain way to sharpen it. All through the day men would spit on the stone and sharpen their knives. I suppose the mixture of ambeer and spit made the right combination for sharpening metal. After a knife was sharpened, tucked and in your pocket, it was ready to clean and cut your finger nails. Some even picked their teeth, peeled an apple, or cut a chew of tobacco! I suppose people had a much stronger immune system in those days than they do now.

The north side of the

Sebastian building has contained various businesses over the years. First was the D.R. Keeton clothing store, the Bill Elam drug store, pool rooms by various owners, a fruit market, several jewelry stores and a florist. It is presently owned by Belinda Marshall.

A few years back, knife swapping became quite the thing in West Liberty. Judge Reed Halsey built a shelter around the World War I monument on the courthouse lawn so traders and whittlers would have a place to

sit in the shade and swap knives. Knife traders swapped so much they could recognize a knife when they saw it, who owned it, as well as recall its previous owners. My brother, Merle, tells the story about walking down the street and passing a group of knife traders. As he walked by, Roy Tyler was looking at a knife and Merle heard him remark, "Why, that's the Walter Franklin knife!"

There were a few "Division I" knife traders like, A. J. Herald, Marvin Burton, Revis Ferguson, Garry Elam, Harold Barber, and others. I still carry a knife I bought from Harold Barber back in the 1970's.

I don't know if young boys like to carry a pocket knife today or not. Of course, they can be dangerous. My mother gave my sons, Bill and Kent, and Merle's son, Tim, knives for Christmas when they were teenagers. She thought they were mature enough to handle one, and within 15 minutes Bill and Kent had cut themselves and Tim had cut a hole in his pants!

It is sad that we live in a society where young boys are discouraged from carrying a knife. In my opinion, this deprives them of important things like: learning to whittle, playing mumble-peg, cutting cane poles, spending hours throwing a knife so it would make the right revolutions and stick in a tree, cutting their initials on a tree and sometimes with a secretly admired girl's initial (a girl that you never had nerve enough to speak to), or cutting a fishing line.

Knives were being manufactured in Sheffield, England, as early as the 1100's when Richard I was king of England. The English poet, Geoffrey Chaucer, referred to a "Sheffield thwitel" in one of his poems. The "thwitel" (also called whittle) was a crude form of knife which was followed by a type of folding clasp knife, similar to the modern pocket-knife. In the United States, pocketknives were being made in Worchester, Massachusetts, in 1829 and three years later in Saccarrappa, Maine.

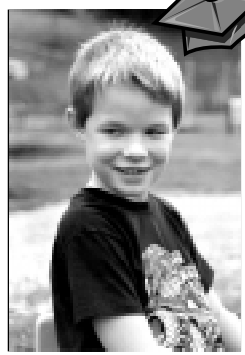
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Zachary Ray Engle

Parents:
Johnny Ray (Pete) &
Charlene Engle

Our only grandson, Zachary, will be graduating from Morehead State University May 9. We are so proud of you, Zachary, and love you very much!

Paw & Grandmamma Engle



This scenic photograph submitted by Maxine W. Jenkins, of Lexington, was taken in October 1958, approximately four miles from West Liberty on Liberty Road. The area was thought to have once been an American Indian reservation, and the house in the picture was built by Melvin Wells in 1875. (Photograph by Lyman Jenkins)

Scenic picture showcases area's natural beauty

Dear Editor,

Few people have noticed this beautiful scenic landscape located about four miles from West Liberty on Liberty Road. With Little Caney Creek on one side and the rugged Licking River at the end, it is surrounded by untouched forest and hills, thought to have once been an American Indian Reservation. Many arrowheads uncovered in the past give reason to believe this.

The two-story farm house in the center stood the test of time for over 100 years, giving refuge to five generations of the Wells family. The house was built around 1875 by Melvin Wells, a grandson of the famous early settler Edmund Wells, finally gave up the ghost and burned to the ground.

On a beautiful day in Octo-

ber 1968, an avid photographer recognized the vast beauty of this place, and tried his luck at the shot of his career. Standing several miles from the expanse of this great scene and using a Pentax with 35 mm color film and a normal lense, he was able to capture a photo that I am so proud to show today.

As Judge Conley travels over the countryside searching for places of interest, I hope he will find this one of his favorites. I hope he can look beyond the horse park and ball stadium that occupy much of the land today, and find the same peace and appreciation of the past as I do when I look over this valley that means so much to me.

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COURIER SPORTS



The 2009 MCHS Lady Cougars Softball Team

Coach Tammy Hensley's 2009 MCHS Lady Cougars Softball Team members include Ashley Watson, Shelby Perkins, Sheyenne Wireman; Libby Smith, Tiffany Taulbee, Lindsey Green, Layla McKenzie, Mariah Hanson, Faith Slone, Heather Haney, Halley

Wilson, Bri Peyton, Taneika Salyer, Amber McMahan, Cassandra Watson, and Rickayla Ison. Seniors who will play their last game on the MCHS field are at right. They are, from left, Cassandra Watson, Bri Peyton, and Taneika Salyer.



Headwaters Bass Club

On April 26, Headwaters Bass Club went to Yatesville Lake. First place went to Rick Salyer and Cordale Francis with a weight of 11.58 pounds. They also won big fish—3.98 pounds. Placing second place were Andrew and Martha Legg with 9.62 pounds. Josh Sword and Tim Smith placed third with 7.59 pounds.

Ten Star All Star Basketball camp is taking applications

Final applications are now being evaluated for the Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp. The camp is by invitation only. Boys and girls ages 10-19 are eligible to apply.

Past camp participants include Michael Jordan, Tim Duncan, Vince Carter, Jerry Stackhouse, Grant Hill and Antawn Jamison.

Players from 50 states and 11 foreign countries attended the 2008 camp. College basketball scholarships are possible for players selected to the All-American Team.

Camp locations include Lebanon, Texas; Phoenix, Ariz.; Babson Park, Fla.; Gainesville, Ga.; Champaign, Ill.; Glassboro, N.J.; Ithaca, N.Y.; Marietta, Ohio; Commerce, Texas; and Blacksburg, Va.

There is also a summer camp available for boys and girls ages 9-18 of all skill levels. For free brochure on these summer camps, please call 704-373-0873 anytime, or visit the website www.tenstarcamp.com.

Girls Tennis wins pair of matches

Emily McKenzie positioning herself as region's top-seeded player

By David Patrick

Morgan County dominated Magoffin County in Salyersville, nine matches to one. The results were as follows:

- Morgan/Magoffin Singles**
- Emily McKenzie (MC) defeated Flavia Delboni (Mag), 8-2.
 - Danielle Clark (MC) defeated Taylor Shepard (Mag), 6-0.
 - Allie Gregory (MC) defeated Haley Issac (Mag), 6-3.
 - Monika McCowan (MC) defeated Gabriella Dundgeon (Mag), 6-0.
 - Danielle Dunn (MC) defeated Nicole Fletcher (Mag), 7-5.
 - Arin Oldfield (MC) defeated Mikayla Gasparac (Mag), 6-3.
- Morgan/Magoffin Doubles**
- Gregory/McCowan (MC) defeated Delboni/Shepard (Mag), 8-6.
 - Issac/Fletcher (Mag) defeated Dunn/Oldfield (MC), 6-3.

- L. Oldfield/Whisman (MC) defeated Dundgeon/Gasparac (Mag), 6-4.

On April 24, Morgan County scored a six to three match win over Lawrence County in Louisa. The results were as follows:

- Morgan/Lawrence Singles**
- Emily McKenzie (MC) defeated Courtney Fyffe (LC), 8-5.
 - Rachel Hardin (LC) defeated Danielle Clark (MC), 6-3.
 - Allie Gregory (MC) defeated Taylor Shepard (LC), 7-6.
 - Monika McCowan (MC) defeated Bailey Thompson (LC), 6-2.
 - Ali Dotson (LC) defeated Arin Oldfield (MC), 7-5.
 - Laiken Castle (LC) defeated Keisha Whisman (MC), 7-5.
- Morgan/Lawrence Doubles**
- Gregory/McCowan (MC)

defeated Hardin/Shepard (LC), 8-6.

- McKenzie/Clark (MC) defeated Fyffe/Dotson (LC), 6-2.
- Whisman/Oldfield (MC) defeated Thompson/Castle (LC), 6-4.

Morgan County had an impressive showing at the EKC Tournament at Morehead State University.

Emily McKenzie scored a pair of 8-0 singles match victories. Meanwhile, Danielle Clark beat her West Carter opponent, 8-0, before losing to Russell's Kelsey Hensley, 8-1.

The wins put McKenzie in the semi-finals that had to be rescheduled due to rain. That match was to be played Wednesday night.

In doubles action, the team of Monika McCowan and Allie Gregory scored a huge upset of Russell in their opener before losing to Rowan County – a squad the duo had beaten during the regular season.

The Lady Cougars' match at Pikeville Independent on May 1 was postponed due to rain. However, Emily McKenzie played indoors and scored an 8-5 win over Skiha Sachdeva. For her efforts, McKenzie is expected to be tabbed as the #1 girls' tennis player in the region.

McKenzie and doubles partner Danielle Clark took part in a tournament at Lexington Christian Academy. The duo lost to Greenwood's Pennington sisters, 3-6, 6-3 and 6-10. McKenzie and Clark rebounded to beat Howell/Prather of West Jessamine, 7-5 and 6-2.

In their final match, the pair fell to Maxwell and Hazle, of Elizabethtown.

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MCHS senior Leslie Eagle signing her national letter of intent to play college basketball at Union College. Looking on are Coaches Tim Curry and Zack Vogelsberg of Union College and MCHS coaches Jeff Brown and Justin Daniels.

Leslie Eagle signs with Union College

By David Patrick

Morgan County senior Leslie Eagle signed a national letter of intent last Wednesday with Union College. Eagle was accompanied by MCHS coaches Jeff Brown and Justin Daniels along with Tim Curry and Zack Vogelsberg from Union College.

The Lady Cougar point guard enjoyed a stellar prep career, finishing as the school's all-time leading scorer (2,163 points).

Eagle averaged 20 points, four rebounds and three steals

per game this season, earning the team's offensive and defensive player of the year awards. She was named 16th region player of the year as voted on by area coaches, earned 62nd district all-tournament honors while being tabbed as honorable mention for all-state.

Eagle participated in the Kentucky-Ohio All-Star Game and was invited to tryouts for the prestigious Kentucky-Indiana series.

She is the daughter of Leslie and Vickie Eagle.

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Cory Harper

MCHS Boys' Track Team:

This week's athlete of the week is Cory Harper of the MCHS Track and Field team. Cory placed 1st in the Pole Vault, jumping 9'3" in a jump off vs. Fairview. Cory also placed 2nd in the EKC Meet at Rowan County. His first place finish in the Area 7 meet gave him the #1 seed going into the regional track and field meet later this month. Congratulations to Cory Harper!



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NEWS OF RECORD

CIRCUIT COURT
New civil cases – Tax Ease Lien Investments 1, LLC vs. Tena Pennington, April 24; Stephen McNeal vs. Teena C. Smith, April 30.

DISTRICT COURT
New civil cases – Asset Acceptance LLC vs. Brandy Burgett, April 24; Shirley Kimelton et al vs. Mary Beth Hayes, April 27; Diamond Finance Company vs. Dennie Perkins, April 28; Midland Funding LLC vs. Sheila Caskey, April 29.

New small claims cases – Cash Express vs. Jonathon Thornsberry, April 28; Cash Express vs. Faye Isaac, April 28; Cash Express vs. Michael Creech, April 28; Cash Express vs. Joshua Howard, April 28; Cash Express vs. Carolyn Hunt, April 28.

ARRAIGNMENTS
Kristen B. Adams – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled guilty, \$500.
Elliott C. Baldrige – speeding 10 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.
Carolyn S. Burchett – assault (fourth degree domestic violence; minor injury) – pled guilty, 10 days.
Jonathan W. Burke – failure to wear seatbelts, failure to use child restraint device in vehicle, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, failure to surrender revoked operator's license – rescheduled May 5.
Chasity K. Caudill – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – pled guilty, \$100.
Daniel R. Deaton – speeding 5 mph over limit, failure to wear seatbelts – order entered.
Mark A. Easterling – speeding 15 mph over limit, no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt – rescheduled May 12.
David Haney – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 – pled guilty, \$25.
Linda Haney – assault (fourth degree domestic violence; no visible injury) – pre-trial conference June 23.
Gregory K. Havens – speeding 26 mph over limit – pre-trial conference May 12.
Shayla Hill – no operator's/moped license – pled guilty, \$100; failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, \$25.
Vanessa L. Kidd – speeding 23 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.
Christine Kitchen – speeding 15 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.
Richard D. Lewis Jr. – speeding 26 mph over limit – rescheduled May 12.
Eric Lykins – failure to wear seatbelts – pled guilty, \$25.
Sammy J. Lykins – torture of a dog or cat (first offense) – pled not guilty, pre-trial conference June 23.
Melissa K. Mullins – no/expired registration receipt, no/expired registration plates – rescheduled May 5.
Joseph Osborne – improper start from parked position – order entered.
Harlan K. Ratliff – no operator's/moped license – rescheduled May 5.
Monica G. Riddle – theft by deception including cold checks under \$300 – rescheduled June 2.
Jeremy D. Wilson – reckless driving – pre-trial conference June 15.
Jeremy D. Wilson – speeding 10 mph over limit, failure to wear seatbelts – pre-trial conference June 15.
James S. Woodard – speeding 26 mph over limit – pled guilty, \$100.
Misty R. Risner – failure to produce insurance card – pled guilty, \$500.
Levina Frisby – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of

alcohol/drugs – pre-trial June 29.
Pre-trial conference – James T. Bodemann – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of a controlled substance (first offense; drug unspecified), leaving the scene of an accident/failure to render aid – rescheduled June 29.
Zachary A. Caudill – burglary (second degree) – preliminary hearing May 5.
Ronne Ralph Hinton – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance – pre-trial conference May 5.
Preliminary hearing – Efrain G. Ocasio – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, \$500, loss of license for 24 months; possession of a controlled substance (two counts, second degree; first offense; drug unspecified), controlled substance prescription not in original container (three counts) – pled guilty, 365 days.
Pre-trial conference – Kristie M. Bailey – pled guilty, 365 days.
Pre-trial conference – Kenneth Burnett Jr. – official misconduct (second degree) – rescheduled May 19.
Pre-trial conference – Aaron B. Cox – failure to dim headlights, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of marijuana, use/possession of drug paraphernalia (first offense) – rescheduled May 5.
Preliminary hearing – Barret Francis – willful removal/damage of boundary marker – rescheduled May 12.
Preliminary hearing – Kevin D. Gilliam – speeding 20 mph over limit, fleeing or evading police (first degree), operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, no/expired registration plates, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – rescheduled May 12.
Pre-trial conference – Rahne L. Hollon – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled guilty, \$500.
Pre-trial conference – Dave M. Perdue – fleeing or evading police in a motor vehicle (second degree) – pled guilty, 365 days.
Pre-trial conference – Jerry D. Sanders – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – rescheduled May 10.
PROPERTY TRANSFERS
Gail L. Baker-Small and Brian M. Small, Sr. to Kelse L. Hensley and Lydia, a certain tract or parcel of land, lying or situated on Ky. Rt. 3420, approximately 2 miles east of Ky. 519, \$165,000.
John Wallace Hamilton to David Martin and Sarah, two tracts on the waters of Patoker Branch of Paint Creek on the northeast side of Patoker Branch Road approximately 0.35 mile Southeast of the junction of Open Fork, \$2,000.
James L. Wright, by Robert L. Caummisar, to Darrell Fraley and Michelle D. Fraley, Tract II, IV and V on the Old House or Ferguson Branch, a tributary of Elkfork Creek of Licking River, \$81,000.
Anthony Wendell Hill to Audrey Hill Strother, land located on Lost Creek and being 3 of 4 tracts of the Arminta Helton and James Helton properties, \$1 cash in hand paid and other good and valuable consideration.
Gwendolyn Gibson and Mark, Rodney Estep and Tracy, Heather Gibson and Mike, Douglas Estep and Jessica to Audrey Hill Strother and James E., also land located on Lost Creek, \$1 cash in hand paid plus other good and valuable consideration.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage license.
Melicia Destray Ann Nipper, 16, of Ezel, daughter of Melicia Ann Wright Nipper and Jereme Keith Nipper, to Zachery Arlion Dean Daudill, 19, of West Liberty, son of Sheila Ann Back Caskey and Arlion Dean Caudill.

her post and pleads guilty to 19 misdemeanor counts of misapplication of funds and 19 counts of official misconduct, and makes restitution of \$27,964.
Ison's responsibility for the rest of the funds is questionable because a deputy clerk was charged with theft of money from the office in 2002.
Judge Executive David Blair told a Lexington newspaper he plans to appoint Sheila Blevins to the post. Blevins was the second highest vote-getter in the last county clerk's race.

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Menifee County man accused of April 15 murder

A Menifee County man was arrested and charged with murder for allegedly shooting his neighbor to death on Wednesday, April 15.
Kentucky State Police officials said James L. Downs, 72, of Hawkins Branch Road, Frenchburg, is accused to shooting Frank Worack, 57, also of Hawkins Branch Road, at approximately 2:30 p.m.
Worack was pronounced dead at the scene by Menifee County Coroner Melanie Smallwood at 2:45 p.m. An autopsy was performed on Worack at the state medical examiner's office in Frankfort.
A firearm that was believed to have been in the shooting was recovered from the scene. KSP officials continue to investigate the motive and circumstances surrounding the incident.

WORDS OF WISDOM
Waste no more time arguing what a good man should be. Be one.



May is Elder Abuse Prevention and Awareness Month

Morgan County Judge Executive Tim Conley and Mayor Jim Rupe recently signed a proclamation for Morgan Countians to recognize May 2009 as Elder Abuse Awareness Month. Gateway Regional Elder Abuse Taskforce (GREAT) members urge all citizens to participate actively in the elimination of all abuse, neglect, and exploitation of vulnerable adults. Gold ribbons will be placed at area businesses and gold lapel pins will be worn to promote awareness and honor victims of elder abuse.



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Lt. Keith Elam, right, accepts Qupervisor of the Quarter Award from Warden John Motley.

Elam earns Supervisor of Quarter Award at EKCC

Lt. Keith Elam has been awarded the Supervisor of the Quarter Award at Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex for the second quarter of the year.

Lt. Elam began his career in Corrections at EKCC in October 1991 as a correctional officer. He was promoted to sergeant in 2006 and to lieutenant in 2007. He currently oversees the Minimum Security Unit.

"Lt. Elam ensures that mem-

bers of his staff are well informed and adhering to the highest standards possible," said Warden John Motley. "He has excellent job knowledge and always maintains a positive attitude."

"Lt. Elam has the characteristics of a true professional and has proven himself an asset to EKCC and to the Department of Corrections," Motley said.

Congratulations on a job well done.

Citizens urged to prepare for severe storms

Severe storms can strike at any time in Kentucky, inflicting extensive and long-lasting effects upon Kentuckians. Severe storms impact personal lives, the social structure and the economy on both the local and state levels.

The Kentucky Division of Emergency Management is charged with the responsibility of preparing Kentucky for all forms of natural disasters, including severe storms.

It is appropriate that the Kentucky Division of Emergency Management should cooperate with other state and federal government agencies. The National Weather Service, the Kentucky

Preparedness Committee, local emergency management officials and private corporations team together to prepare citizens of the Commonwealth for severe storms.

Irene Jenkins, director of Morgan County Emergency Management, urges all public and private institutions, as well as citizens throughout the county and city, to take notice of this observance and to take necessary actions to prepare and protect their families and property, which could be threatened as a result of severe storms.

WORDS OF WISDOM

If your actions create a legacy that inspires others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, then, you are an excellent leader.

— Dolly Parton
Entertainer

Forest Service seeking candidates to serve on advisory committee

By Kimberly Morgan

The Daniel Boone National Forest is seeking candidates to serve on a resource advisory committee (RAC) under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000, reauthorized by Congress in 2008.

The RAC will consist of 15 members, each serving a four-year term. These members will be selected to develop and recommend projects to benefit national forest lands and nearby communities. Under Title II of the Act, these projects will occur in counties where funding has been allocated.

Individuals may nominate themselves or others to become a RAC member. Each member must be a Kentucky resident and, to the extent practicable, provide local representation from various interests groups within or near the Daniel Boone National Forest.

Any projects for RAC consideration will be for the counties that elect to allocate funding to Title II projects. In 2009, the counties with allocated funding include Clay, Jackson, Laurel, Leslie and McCreary.

In addition to recommending projects for implementation, the RAC members will monitor progress and coordinate with Forest Service management officials. The RAC will provide opportunities for interested parties to participate in project development and decisional processes.

The Daniel Boone National Forest RAC will have approximately \$172,000 for project work in 2009. No salary will be paid to RAC members, but reimbursement for travel expenses to and from committee meetings is permitted.

Some examples of projects include maintaining motorized and non-motorized trails, road paving in campgrounds, non-native invasive plant control, reducing hazardous fuel buildup, and purchasing equipment and supplies to support work.

Project funding may also be used to leverage grant dollars and collaboration with partners, such as federal and state agencies and non-profit organizations.

At least 50 percent of Title II project funds must be used for watershed and stream restoration or the maintenance, decommissioning or obliteration of existing roads.

In an effort to represent varied interests, RAC members will be selected from three separate categories.

The first category represents commodity or commercial interests. Members from this category may include organized labor; timber and non-timber forest products; recreation outfitter guides; off-highway- vehicle users; energy and mineral development interests; holders of federal land use permits; and non-industrial private forest land owners within the area for which the RAC is organized.

The second category for selected members will represent environmental and conservation interests. Members in this category may be with nationally, regionally or locally recognized environmental organizations. They may represent dispersed recreation activities, archaeological and historical interests, wildlife or hunting organizations, and watershed protection groups.

The third category, public at large, may be any citizen, including elected officials or designees, teachers or school officials, or American Indian tribes within or adjacent to a committee area.

Three replacement members to represent each category will also be selected. Replacement members will not vote with seated RAC members, but they will be required to undergo background clearance so they can readily fill a vacancy when needed.

We are looking for people with energy and commitment to serve the long-term benefit of our national forest, those who are also interested in working with a diverse array of interest groups representing the committee, said Acting Forest Supervisor Paul Bradley with the Daniel Boone National Forest.

The Secure Rural Schools law gives states and counties payments for the next four years, tied to the amount of national forest land in the country and other factors. County officials will designate a portion of the funds to projects reviewed by the RAC.

Any Kentucky resident interested in serving as a RAC member must complete a form that will be used for a required background check. Nominees will be evaluated based on education, training and experience in the category that they represent.

Knowledge of the geographic area covered by the committee, demonstrated commitment to col-

laborative decision-making, and contribution to the balance and diversity of the committee will be required.

In line with U.S. Department of Agriculture policies, equal opportunity practices will be followed in all membership appointments to the committee. To ensure that the committee takes into account the diverse groups served by the USDA, the RAC shall include individuals with demonstrated ability to represent minorities, women and persons with disabilities.

WHAT THEN

As you lay your head down on your pillow expecting tomorrow to rise, just suppose there would be no tomorrow. Have you gained the most valuable prize? There are plans for tomorrow now forming, and memories of days which are past. Do your plans include those of most value. The results which most surely will last? Will the memories that linger be precious when things of this earth pass away? Are they memories that build for the future or alas do they fade and decay? Or perhaps they hold joys for the present and those things we thought weren't wrong. But to think of the life that's forever they some how do not seem to belong. Ere you lay your head down on your pillow, oh, stop and consider your state. If tomorrow's sun had no arising are you ready? What then will await?

(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

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